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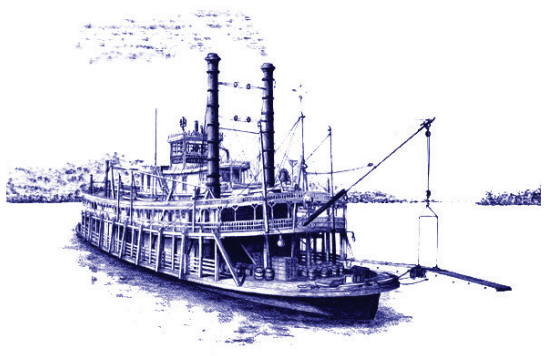

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THE MADISON COURIER

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Thevenow wins only contested primary 218-171

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Incumbent Madison City Councilman Patrick Thevenow held off challenger Lisa Ferguson 218-171 in the Republican primary on Tuesday.

Thevenow, a first-term office holder in District 1, carried the early walk-in voting 49-39, the paper absentees 12-8 and Election Day voting at the precincts 171-110 to out-poll Ferguson 56.04% to 43.96% and advance to the November General Election where he will face Democrat Derek Alexis Hughes. A total of 1,898 voters were eligible to vote in District 1, so the overall turnout was 20.5%.

Thevenow acknowledged his victory and thanked his supporters on his Facebook campaign page about an hour after the polls closed at 6 p.m.

"Victory! Thank you so much for all of your support over the past months as we built this coalition for victory and to continue to stand up for everyone in Madison. Onward to November," he wrote.

The race was the only contested primary by either party for the May primary. The November General Election will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 7.

Photo / Bob Demaree

Incumbent District One Madison City Councilman Patrick Thevenow (sitting) chats with GOP party Treasurer Karl Eaglin and voter Betsey Vonderheide as they were leaving the voting precinct at Major Samuel Woodfill American Legion Post 9 on Tuesday.

Deputy students safely evacuate bus destroyed by fire

Driver's heroic actions prevented any injuries

BY BOB DEMAREE

The heroic actions of a veteran bus driver along with the quick and well-drilled cooperation of students safely resulted in the driver and approximately 20 students safely evacuating a Madison Consolidated Schools bus before it caught fire Tuesday on Bethany Road near Deputy.

The children, all Deputy Elementary School students who were being transported home from school on Bus No. 37, followed the lead of driver Jessie Ritzline to safely exit the disabled vehicle just moments before it caught fire and was destroyed by flames.

Deputy Volunteer Fire Company Chief Mike Hazelwood said Ritzline told him that "smoke started coming up into the bus really fast so she immediately stopped and started getting the kids off the bus, and about the time they got the last kid off, the bus burst into flames."

Ashley Schutte, communications coordinator for Madison Consolidated Schools, described Ritzline as a humble hero who is not seeking recognition for her actions. Ritzline declined interviews and expressed she was simply following safety procedures with the children and effectively executing what they had done in practice drills.

Hazelwood said the bus caught fire about 3-4 miles from the school and was reported to firefighters at 3:08 p.m.. "We were there pretty quickly," Hazelwood said, noting it didn't take long to actually put the fire out but because the bus was disabled in the roadway, Deputy firefighters remained at the scene until a tow truck arrived and removed the vehicle at about 6 p.m.

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Photo / Beth Courtney

A Madison Consolidated School bus transporting students home from Deputy Elementary on Tuesday caught fire and was destroyed on Bethany Road near Deputy. Driver Jessie Ritzline safely evacuated about 20 students just before flames engulfed the vehicle and there were no injuries in the incident.

North Lawrence to hire Yancey as superintendent

BY BOB DEMAREE

A special session of the North Lawrence Community Schools Board of Trustees was scheduled for Thursday evening in Bedford to hire Madison's Kevin Yancey as that community's next superintendent of schools.

Yancey, a Madison native and career educator — initially as a teacher and later as an administrator — currently serves as Madison's director facilities and operations as well as alumni relations-outreach coordinator. Prior to that he served seven years as principal of Madison Consolidated High School.

Madison Kevin Yancey

The school board's decision in 2017 to reassign Yancey from his role as MCHS principal to alumni relations-outreach coordinator brought protests from students who wanted him to remain as the school's principal. However, Yancey went on to assume the alumni position, and later became director of facilities and operations.

As it turned out, Yancey became an active force behind rehabilitating buildings throughout the school district while still continuing his role with alumni relations. He said although he will assume his new role as superintendent for North Lawrence Schools on July 1, until then he will remain focused on his work at Madison Consolidated Schools.

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CHARLIE'S BEAT

RiverRoots music + arts festival

RiverRoots Revival set for June 3

The old RiverRoots festival down at Bicentennial Park had an 14-year run and those who attended (or like me, volunteered) have nothing but fond memories for the amazing musical talent, the family friendly vibe and the arts and crafty energy that made it one of Madison's favorite fests.

CHARLIE **ROHLFING**
CHARLIE'S BEAT

But alas, the double whammy of unrelenting rainy weekends and COVID in 2019 put a halt to the festivities. A halt, but not an end, as it turns out. Almost immediately after the event was canceled various groups of friends and past RiverRooters began meeting and conspiring about how to bring the beloved festival back.

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Hanover man sentenced to 20 1/2 years

BY THE COURIER STAFF

A Hanover man pleaded guilty to Dealing in Methamphetamine and Criminal Confinement in Jefferson Circuit Court on Wednesday and was sentenced to a combined 20½ years at Indiana Department of Correction.

Howard Casey Axl Pike

Howard Casey Axl Pike, 29, will serve 16½ years consecutive to another 4 years for violation of his probation on a previous conviction of possession of methamphetamine in 2019.

Pike was stopped by Jefferson County Sheriff's Deputy Logan Gray on Aug. 11, 2022, after Gray observed Pike in a vehicle and was aware that there was an outstanding warrant for his arrest. A K9 deployed at the scene alerted to the presence of drugs in the vehicle and the subsequent search by officers located approximately 130 grams of methamphetamine and a 9mm handgun.

During an interview at the Sheriff's Office, Pike admitted to traveling to Louisville to purchase methamphetamine and admitted that he had been actively selling controlled substances in Jefferson County, Indiana.

On Aug. 14, 2022, Jefferson County Sheriff's Deputy Devlin McMindes spoke with an individual who reported that he was involved in an incident with Pike on Aug. 11 prior to when Pike was stopped by law enforcement. The individual told McMindes that Pike and another man had confined him in a vehicle against his will and drove him to Austin where they demanded that he withdraw cash.

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Traffic stops net arrests and drug charges

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Two separate traffic stops led to three narcotics-related arrests this week by Madison Police.

On Tuesday, May 2, Dakota McKenzie Gray, 28, Madison, and Seth Daniel McFadden, 25, Vevay, were each arrested for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony.

Madison Police Officer Cameron Blankenship executed a traffic stop at the corner of Second and Mill streets on a vehicle driven by Gray in which McFadden was a passenger.

Kendra L. Davis

Seth Daniel McFadden

Dakota McKenzie Gray

Officer Nichole Midgett and her K9 partner Cain assisted with the stop. The dog conducted an open air sniff around the exterior of the vehicle with Cain altering his handler Midgett a positive indication for the presence of narcotics. During the subsequent probable cause search, officers located methamphetamine.

Gray and McFadden were both lodged in the Jefferson County Jail on Tuesday and held on $1,000 cash bonds each.

On Monday, May 1, Kendra L. Davis, 32, Madison, was arrested for Possession of a Legend Drug or Precursor, a Level 6 felony; and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C Misdemeanor.

Davis was arrested following a traffic stop executed by Madison Police Officer Phillip Wimpee. Officer Midgett and her K9 partner, Cain, once again assisted with the dog conducting an open air sniff around the exterior of the vehicle and a positive indication for the presence of narcotics.

During the subsequent probable cause search of the vehicle, officers located narcotics and Davis was charged and lodged in the Jefferson County Jail.

She is being held without bond pending an initial hearing at 9 a.m. on Friday, May 5.

NEWS OF RECORD

JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL LODGINGS

MAY 1, 2023

Jaycee Douglas Davis Jr., 31, Hanover, on an unspecified warrant to hold for another county (neglect of a dependent, domestic battery and criminal recklessness by Clark County). No bond.

MAY 2, 2023

Kendra L. Davis, 32, Madison, for Possession of a Legend Drug or Precursor, a Level 6 felony. No bond.

Dakota McKenzie Gray, 28, Madison, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony. Bond $1,000 cash.

Seth Daniel McFadden, 25, Vevay, Indiana, for Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony, and Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor. Bond $1,000 cash.

MAY 3, 2023

Marcus Benjamin Burgess 38, Hanover, to served balance of 730 days for revocation of parole by the Indiana Department of Correction (felony methamphetamine possession). No bond.

Autumn Nicole Griffin, 23, Madison, for Theft, a Class A misdemeanor. No bond.

Douglas Ray Hayden, 33, Bedford, Kentucky, on multiple felony and misdemeanor arrest warrants by Jefferson County (neglect of a dependent-3 counts, resisting law enforcement with vehicle, criminal recklessness with a deadly weapon-4 counts and reckless driving, Bond $10,000 cash.

Yesica Evech Martinez, 29, Madison, on a court-ordered sentencing for misdemeanor probation violation (operating vehicle without a license-prior conviction). No bond.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SUPERIOR/CIRCUIT COURT SENTENCINGS

MAY 1, 2023

Deleon Perez, 37, no address given, for Knowingly or Intentionally Operating a Motor Vehicle Without Ever Receiving a License, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

Ronald Lee French, 56, Madison, for Knowingly or Intentionally Operating a Motor Vehicle Without Ever Receiving a License, a Class C misdemeanor. Sentenced to 60 days jail with credit for 2 days served and 58 days suspended for non-reporting probation plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

Samuel Benjamin Nelson, 35, Madison, for Theft, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 days jail with credit for 2 days served and 363 days suspended for probation plus $285 in fees and court costs and $23.61 in restitution. .

Tiffany Nicole Mercer, 34, Hanover, to amended charge of Driving While Suspended, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended for non-reporting probation plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

Frankie L Jones, Madison, to amended charge of Driving While Suspended, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail, all suspended for non-reporting probation plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

Tiffany Nicole Mercer, 34, Madison, to amended charge of Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated-First Offense, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 60 days jail with credit for 2 days served and 58 days suspended for 180 days supervised probation plus $485.50 in fees and court costs with license suspended for 90 days.

Roberto De La Cruz Pazos, Hanover, Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated-Endangerment, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for 2 days served and 178 days suspended for 180 days supervised probation plus $485.50 in fees and court costs.

Joyce A. Taulbee, 46, Madison, to amended charge of Unlawful Possession or Use of a Legend Drug, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 370 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 2 days served and 368 days suspended for supervised probation plus $385 in fees and court costs.

Justin Allan Ledbetter, 27, Madison, to Knowingly Driving While Suspended-Prior Conviction Within 10 Years, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for 8 days served and 172 days suspended for non-reporting probation plus $185.50 in fees and court costs.

MAY 3, 2023

Donald Brian Breeden, 55, Madison, to amended charge of Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to zero days jail plus $235 in fees and court costs.

Yesica Evech Martinez, 29, Madison, to amended charge of Operating a Vehicle Without Ever Receiving a License-Prior Conviction, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 60 days jail plus $235.50 in fees and court costs.

William David Burchfield, 38, Madison, to amended charge of Domestic Battery, a Level 6 felony. Sentenced to 730 days at Indiana Department of Correction with credit for 90 days served and 640 days suspended for supervised probation plus $535 in fees and court costs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS JEFFERSON COUNTY

MAY 1, 2023

Karen Sue Boone to Karen Sue Boone and David Boone, 199 South Brooksburg High Street, Madison.

Cindy Trueblood (personal rep) and Herman L. Stephens Jr. (deceased) to Melvin Dean Ford and Deborah E. Ford, 10695 North State Road 7, Dupont.

Select Investments Inc. to Toole & Rose Supply Company, 6 acres at 2522 Lanier Drive, Madison.

George H. True and Peggy J. True to Amber S. Wilson, 213 Sunrise Drive, Madison.

Scott C. Axline and Maria Axline to John J. Thompson and Jessyka S. Odom, 713 walnut Street, Madison.

Mary N. Greenhill to Stephanie Sullivan and Zachary Sullivan, 32.4 acres at 5786 West Foster Road, Hanover.

William R. Wright to Rodney Pettit and Eric Pettit, 1.8 acres at 6131 North 450 West, Madison.

Tammy L. Cloud to Christie E. Copeland, 3440 North Quail Drive, Madison.

Michaael Lichlyter, Janet Lichlyter and James H. Gabhart (deceased) to Michaael Lichlyter and Janet Lichlyter, 1.3 acres at 5276+ West Kuntz Road, Hanover.

Windy Jennings to Brandon Bush, 5.95 acres at 12329 West State Road 256, Lexington.

Lonnie R. Jones to Walter L. Harden Sr., 323 East Fifth Street, Madison.

Heartcore LLC to Richard Jones and Pamela Jones, 417 Poplar Street, Madison.

MAY 3, 2023

Edith Brisbane Burke, Heirs of Edith Brisbane Birk, Mary Jane Tietsort, Hiers of Mary Jane Tietsort Rinehart and Brisbane Cemetery (defendants) to Carol R. Pinckney (plaintiff) and Brisbane Cemetery, 2026 Ridgewood Drive, Madison.

Southwestern adopts handbooks but may clarify guidelines

BY BOB DEMAREE

Southwestern School Board approved the corporation's student handbooks for 2023-24 on Monday, but there still could be some changes made after a discussion resulted in questions concerning the delivery of commercially prepared food to the schools.

The question on whether commercially prepared food may be delivered to the school led to some discussion and questions on whether the related guidelines should be clarified in the Southwestern Middle School and High School Handbook for the 2023-2024 school year.

Both the middle school/high school handbook and the elementary school handbook were approved by the board but board member Jonathon Simpson questioned the middle school/high school handbook's guidelines on outside food so the members agreed to remove that part of the document until a better description can be drafted.

"I agree they shouldn't be able to go out and get food but sometimes, as a parent, you get a call" from a child that their food was left at home, and that creates a predicament for the parent, Simpson said. He noted that the handbook's language might be too strong "to say you can't bring any food" in that might be commercially prepared such as a carry-out meal from a restaurant or grocery.

Teacher Karla Thornton noted that students already bring Lunchables, a commercially-prepared snack sold in groceries, to school. "Aren't Lunchables commercially prepared?"

Simpson also noted that a family might have had commercially-prepared pizza the night before, and sent a couple of pieces with the student for lunch the next day and asked why that would be allowed under the guidelines.

Simpson said he understands the need for restrictions on commercially-prepared foods but noted there can be circumstances when a parent might need to do that.

Simpson said he's seen the restrictions in action when he was "turned away because I tried to bring my daughter some food, and they said no, I couldn't. So, unfortunately she couldn't eat that day because she didn't like the food they were having. That's part of being able to bring in your own lunch to have options."

"I know kids bring in stuff all the time, and there are times when parents will come eat lunch with them, and bring McDonald's," Thornton said.

The board agreed in general that the policy and they handbook's language needs clarification to better define how commercially-prepared foods need to be handled, citing that while they don't want to see DoorDash dropoffs, they also want to respect that there are times when students should be allowed to have foods that are commercially-prepared.

The elementary handbook was approved with the only change being a parent excuse policy that allows the parent to excuse a student up to five times per semester, after which time medical documentation is required.

In other business:

- Preschool Director Christin Harsin said that Southwestern preschool will celebrate its 10th anniversary on Saturday, June 3 with a car show, live music and food. All proceeds will go towards a new preschool playground. Harsin said to date slightly more than $10,000 has been raised towards the goal of $60,000 for the playground.
- Agreed to advertise for two-year contracts for Southwestern bus Routes 4, 11 and 20. The bids will be opened at the Monday, June 5, school board meeting.
- Approved elementary textbook fees for the 2023-2024 school year at $136.13 for first grade, $148.28 for second grade, $152.14 for third grade, $163.48 for fourth grade and $130.67 for fifth grade.
- Approved a rollover of administrative contracts through June 30, 2025 including Matt Owens, high school principal; Kristin Bye, middle school principal; Robert Adams, elementary principal; Krista Chatham, assistant elementary principal; Jason Watson, assistant superintendent; and Tom Scroggins, middle and high school athletic director.
- Approved the purchase of a floor scrubber from Phillips Supply Company for $16,348.63. The 22-inch rider floor scrubber will be used to clean and polish floors at the schools.

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Temperature: High 69, Low 41, Mean 55.0, Deficit 10.6
Precipitation since last published: 0
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Precipitation, 2023: 19.95
Barometer: 29.84, Rising
River Level at Clifty Creek: 425.5, Rising
Forecast: Saturday: Mostly cloudy High 70/Low 59; Sunday: Thunderstorms High 79/Low 62; Monday: Thunderstorms High 79/Low 59; Tuesday: Thunderstorms High 80/Low 57.

LOTTERY

INDIANA

Hoosier Lotto: 5-21-22-23-42-45 (5/3). Next Estimated Jackpot: $16 million. Next Drawing (5/6).

Cash Five: 7-26-32-36-42 (5/3)

Cash 4 Life: 17-26-37-43-53 CB: 1 (5/3)

KENTUCKY

5 Extra: 7-22-25-29-37 (5/3)

Lucky For Life: 4-8-12-36-46 LB: 13 (5/3)

POWERBALL

21-26-30-45-47 PB: 23, PP: 3 (5/3). Next Estimated Jackpot: $87 million. Next Drawing (5/6)

POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY: 11-35-57-60-64 PB: 22 (5/3). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to $10 million. Next Drawing (5/6)

MEGAMILLIONS

3-15-16-32-41 MB: 9, MP x2 (5/2). Next Jackpot: $68 million. Next Drawing (5/5)

BIRTHDAYS

Editor's Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641.

Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

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Rodney Nay

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Kevin Yancey

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Leah Scott Hill

OBITUARIES

Leona Adams

Leona Amelia Stutzman Adams, 85, of Florence, Indiana, died Monday, May 1, 2023, at her residence.

She was born on Jan. 16, 1938, in Rising Sun, Indiana, to Gordon Edward and Esther Margaret Cornelius Stutzman. She was raised in Markland, Indiana, and attended Patriot High School, graduated from Madison High School in 1973 and studied business at Mount St. Joseph College in Cincinnati. She married Paul Frederick James on Sept. 12, 1955 in Florence, and they had four children. After being widowed in 1972, she married Bob Chance in 1974 and later married Walter Henry Baker in 1976. After being widowed in 1996, she married Richard Roy Adams on Oct. 17, 1998 in Lawrenceburg, Indiana. She and Richard were awarded the 2014 Golden Hoosier Award from LifeTime Resources. She was a former Pink Lady at Dearborn County Hospital for more than 20 years, volunteering mainly in the gift shop. She also volunteered at Quercus Grove Food Pantry for many years and was a member of Quercus Grove Methodist Church where she played the piano for several years. She retired in 1999 from Macy's Department Store in Cincinnati and Florence, Kentucky, after 22 years as men's department floor manager and also worked seven years at the Madison Plastics Factory. She was a member of Vevay American Legion Post 185 Ladies Auxiliary, Vevay VFW Post 5396 Ladies Auxiliary and the Florence Home Economics Club. She and Richard were members of the Vevay Music Club where they performed country and gospel music at various Switzerland County events. She enjoyed arts and crafts, golf and spending time with loved ones.

Survivors include her husband, Richard Roy Adams of Florence; a daughter, Victoria Meyer of Springs, Texas; her sons, Paul Frederick James Jr. and Michael Lee James, both of Vevay, Indiana; a sister, Margaret Baker of Dillsboro, Indiana; her brothers, Bob Stutzman and Gordon Stutzman, both of Rising Sun, John Stutzman and George Stutzman, both of Leavenworth, Indiana, and David Stutzman of Brookville, Indiana; and eight grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, three great-great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two husbands, Paul Frederick James on Feb. 23, 1972 and Walter Henry Baker on Jan. 2, 1996; a daughter, Julia Marie James on Dec. 6, 1957; a sister, Rebecca Fair; and a grandson, a great granddaughter and other family.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Friday, May 5, at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay. Interment will follow in the Vevay Cemetery there. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 4 at the funeral home with auxiliary services at 7 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Keeping Pace Cancer Fund c/o CFSCI or Quercus Grove Methodist Church through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.haskel-landmorrison.com.

Ira Todd

Ira William Todd, 77 of Madison, Indiana, died Saturday, April 29, 2023, at the Robley Rex Veterans Medical Center in Louisville.

He was born on Jan. 24, 1946, in Madison, to William Lee and Nancy Ella Jones Todd. He graduated from Madison Consolidated High School in 1965 and studied at Ivy Tech Community College. He was inducted into the US Army in Louisville, on Feb. 23, 1966, and trained as an aircraft mechanic. He served during the Vietnam era at Fort Rucker, Alabama, Fort Eustis, Virginia, and Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He was honorably discharged from active duty on Feb. 21, 1968, at Fort Sill, receiving the Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Service Medal and Sharpshooter (Rifle) Badge. He remained in the Reserves until being discharged on Feb. 22, 1972. He married Betty Sue Tomlinson on March 30, 1969, in Madison. He worked 42 years for Grote Industries of Madison, joining the manufacturing plant as a materials handler and advancing to foreman of the molding division where he became highly skilled in the plastics manufacturing process leading to his appointment as injection molding plastics process engineer. After retiring in 2017, he joined the staff of Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre where he served as an adjunct service associate for six years, consoling many families in their times of grief. He was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, Quarter Century Club and Lamp Lighters with Grote Industries, and the Major Samuel Woodfill Madison Post No. 9 American Legion.

Survivors include his wife of 54 years of Madison; his sons, Christopher Antony "Scott" Todd of Madison and Troy Wayne Scudder of Orlando, Florida; his daughters,Tamara G. Wheeler of Union, Kentucky and Merri Faith Bible of Milan, Indiana; a sister, Cheri Marlene Todd Thorne of Madison; a nephew who was like a son, Paul David Cardwell of Madison; and 10 grandchildren, five great grandchildren, several nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Anna Edwards; his brother, George Adam Todd; and other family.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, at Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Friday and 11 a.m. until the time of services on Saturday at the funeral home. A final salute with military honors will be provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Madison Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Robley Rex Veterans Administration Medical Center through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of
Mrs. Carolyn Jane Coker Callis

Mrs. Carolyn Jane Coker Callis, age 69, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on July 23, 1953 in Madison, Indiana. She was the loving daughter of the late, Isom "Ike", Jr. and Alma Jean Kinman Coker. She was raised in Madison residing there all of her life. On June 16, 1970, she was united in marriage to Danny R. Callis, Sr. This happy union of 51 years was blessed with daughters, Elisha and Dawn, and a son, Danny R., Jr. She was employed with the Key West Shrimp House in downtown Madison for 27 years as the head cook. She was a member of the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion Auxiliary and was of the Baptist faith. She enjoyed playing cards, being with her grandchildren, and was awesome at Euchre and Phase Ten. She enjoyed riding in the Razor. Carolyn died on Friday, April 28, 2023, at 5:58 a.m. at the University of Cincinnati Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio.

A LOVING FAMILY

Carolyn will be missed by her loving daughters, Dawn Geisler and her husband, Alva of Madison, Indiana, Elisha Sullivan and her husband, Jason of Madison, Indiana; her loving son, Danny R. Callis, Jr. and his wife, Lorena of Lexington, Indiana; her loving grandchildren, Gary, Kaytlynn, Gabriona, Alexandria, Kearsten, Kelsey, Danny R. Callis III, Jordan, Addelynn, Clay, Weaver, Sara, and Wyatt; her adoring great grandchildren, Kynlee, Aspynn, Haysley, Brixton, Bradley, Braeson, Arieona, Kyzen, Annabella, Briella, Mckinlee, Isabella, and Isom; her brother, Kenny Coker and his wife, Pam of Madison, Indiana; her nephews and her nieces, Bobby Coker, Kenny Coker, Jack Coker, Mitzi Dempler, Tacia Torres, and Jordan Coker; and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Isom "Ike" Coker, Jr. died June 4, 2001, her mother, Alma Jean Kinman Coker, died December 24, 1979, her beloved husband of 51 years, Danny R. Callis, Sr., died September 6, 2021, her brother, Robert Leslie "Bobby" Coker, died April 14, 1951, her sister, Barbara Jean Coker, died August 4, 1971, her brother, Steven Wayne "Steve" Coker, died November 28, 2012.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, May 5, 2023, at 1:00 pm, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery,1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Thursday from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Friday from 12:00 noon until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the donor's choice. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of
Mrs. Patsy "Pat" Ann Ackerman

Mrs. Patsy "Pat" Ann Ackerman, age 88, of Liberty, Ohio formerly of Madison, entered this life on January 15, 1935 in Cleveland, Virginia. She was the loving daughter of the late Elkanie E. "Kaney" and Elizabeth Emeline Lockhart Harris. She was a 1951 graduate of Cleveland High School in Cleveland, Virginia. She lived in Hamilton, Ohio from 1958 until 1965. She was a loving sister, aunt and friend to many. She married Harold Edward Ackerman on June 16, 1962 at St. Anthony Catholic Church in China, Indiana. This union was blessed with one daughter, Lisa Ann, who died on October 10, 1969. She had worked for Standard Life from 1952 - 1956 in Greensboro, South Carolina, 1956 -1958 for Burlington Industries, 1957 - 1958 for Mills Bros. Construction in Jefferson, Virginia,1958 - 1962 for Hamilton Foundry, and at Ratheon in Bristol, Tennessee. When she moved to Madison in 1965, she first worked for Dr. Childs in the x-ray department and then at King's Daughters' Hospital as a secretary for a total of 31 years. Pat was a faithful member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Madison. She enjoyed her family, playing cards, reading, and walking. She moved to Fairfield, Ohio to be near her nephews and resided there until her death on Monday, May 1, 2023, at 8:30 a..m at the Story Point in Hamilton, Ohio.

A LOVING FAMILY

Pat will be missed by her nephews, Doug Harris of Hamilton, Ohio and Greg Harris of Fairfield, Ohio; her niece, Carol Jersey of Big Canoe, Georgia; and other relatives. She was preceded in death by father, Elkanie E. "Kaney" Harris, died April 12, 1942, mother, Elizabeth Emeline Lockhart Harris, died September 14, 1999, husband, Harold Edward Ackerman, died February 9, 1994, daughter, Lisa Ann Ackerman, died October 10, 1969, brother, Gean A. Harris, died July 14, 2009; her sisters, Madeline Mile, died October 3, 2016 and Sue Wright, died May 1, 2023.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, May 6, 2023, at 11:00 am, by Rev. Rick Fory at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the St. Patrick Cemetery,305 West State Street in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Saturday from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Calvary Baptist Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com

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Sally McKenna

Sally McKenna, 82, of Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, May 3, 2023, at River Terrace Health Campus in Madison.

She was born on March 3, 1941, in Madison, to Helen Boggess Stanner and Glenn Robert Stanner. She graduated from Shawe Memorial High School in 1959 and Ursuline College (now Bellarmine) in Louisville with a bachelors in education in 1963 and earned her masters from Indiana University in 1967. She married James J. McKenna Jr. on Oct. 17, 1964, in Madison, and they had a son and a daughter. She began her career as an English teacher in Madison at both the junior high and high schools. She also taught in Brownstown and Medora in Jackson County and for one year at Cardinal Ritter High School in Indianapolis. After retirement, she was a caregiver for her husband as he endured multiple health challenges. She participated in the Jefferson County Retired Teachers Association and the Indiana State Retired Teachers Association. She was a member of Prince of Peace Catholic Parish and enjoyed helping with the Prince of Peace Ladies Organization. She enjoyed reading, crossword puzzles, being with her family, sports and politics.

Survivors include her son, Brian P. McKenna of Beech Grove, Indiana; her daughter, Jennifer McKenna Weinbaum of Atlanta; her sisters, Mary Carol Lorton and Jeanette Hertz, both of Madison and Susan Burke of Charlestown, Indiana; her brother, Michael Scarff of Madison; and 10 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 54 years on Nov. 18, 2018; and her stepfathers, J. Richard Scarff on April 14, 1970, and William C. Henson in 1995.

Funeral mass will be at 11 a.m. on Monday, May 8, at Prince of Peace Catholic Church in downtown Madison. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Sunday, May 7 and 9 a.m. until the time of service on Monday at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. The Rosary will be prayed at 7 p.m. on Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Friends of Shawe and Pope John. through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Joy Trick

Joy Teats Gullion Jolley Trick, 93, of Davidson, North Carolina and formerly of Switzerland County, Indiana, died Wednesday, May 3, 2023, at the Glenwood Rehab & Nursing in Mooresville, NC.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, Indiana, www.haskelland-morrison.com.

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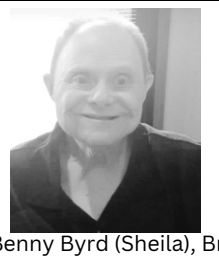

Edward Lee "Eddie" Byrd, 64, born on January 20, 1959 & died on April 30, 2023, Lawrenceburg. Beloved son of the late Eva McCarthy (the late Jim) & Willie Byrd (the late Mary), dear brother of Willie Byrd (Lorryn), Danny Byrd (Carolyn), Benny Byrd (Sheila), Brenda Messer (the late Russ) & the late Robin Patrick (Tony), half-brother to Tony Byrd, step-brother to Jackie Adams (Leroy) & Darryl Fields (the late Lou), also survived by many nieces & nephews. Also preceded in death by his sister-in-law Debbie Byrd. Eddie enjoyed music & playing guitar. He was well known in his hometown of Madison Indiana for riding in his golf cart & spreading love & smiles everywhere he went. He had countless friends in the ResCare & Ridgewood communities. A special tribute to Donna Keaton for her endless love & care. Visitation Thurs., May 4, 2023 from 10 AM until the time of funeral service at 12:30 PM at the Dennis George Funeral Home, 44 S. Miami, Cleves, OH. Memorials may be directed to Alzheimer's Association, https://www.alz.org/cincinnati?form=alz_donate or American Heart Association https://www.heart.org/en/get-involved/ways-to-give www.dennisgeorgefunerals.com

Shirley Brierly

Shirley Elaine Gaines Brierly, 81, of Madison, Indiana and formerly of Milton, Kentucky, died Wednesday, May 3, 2023 at her home.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison, Indiana, www.morgan-nay.com.

Bob Sommer

Robert C. "Bob" Sommer, 71, Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, May 3, 2023.

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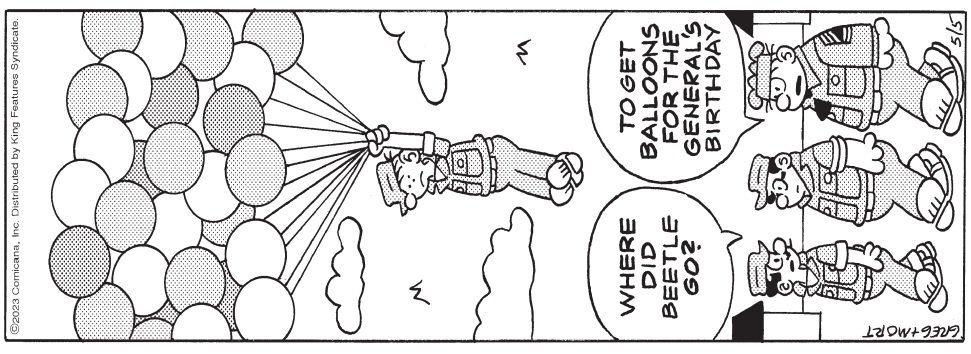
TO GET BALLOONS FOR THE GENERAL'S BIRTHDAY
WHERE DID BEETLE GO?
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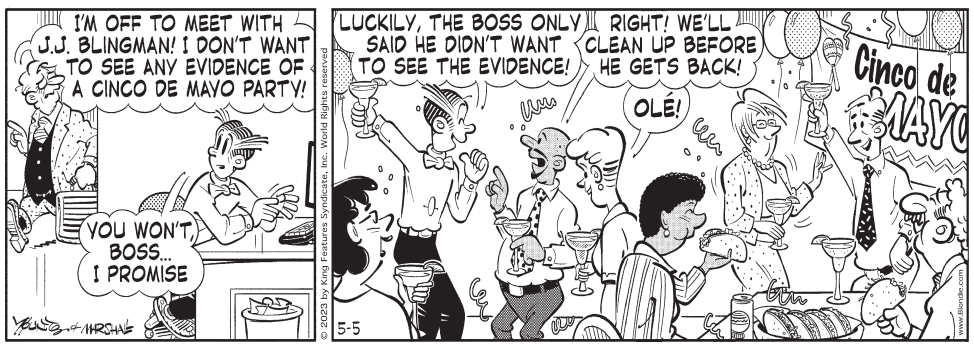
I'M OFF TO MEET WITH J.J. BLINGMAN! I DON'T WANT TO SEE ANY EVIDENCE OF A CINCO DE MAYO PARTY!
YOU WON'T, BOSS... I PROMISE
LUCKILY, THE BOSS ONLY SAID HE DIDN'T WANT TO SEE THE EVIDENCE!
RIGHT! WE'LL CLEAN UP BEFORE HE GETS BACK!
OLÉ!
Cinco de MAYO
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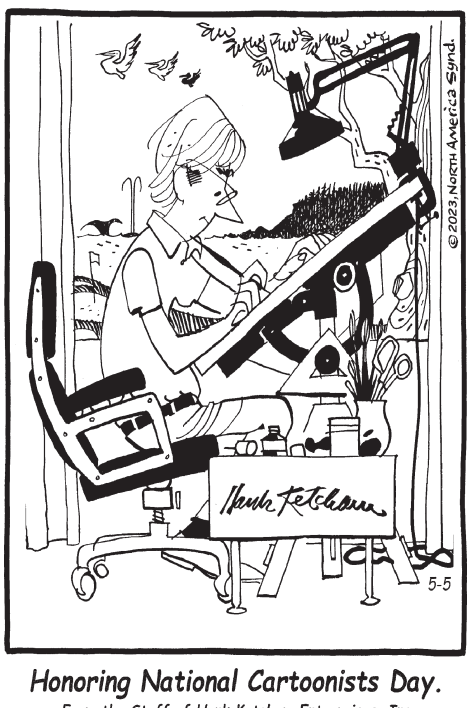
FAMILY CIRCUS

"Dinner will be ready as soon as we've fed the cat and dogs, the turtle, goldfish, bird, hamsters ..."

DENNIS THE MENACE



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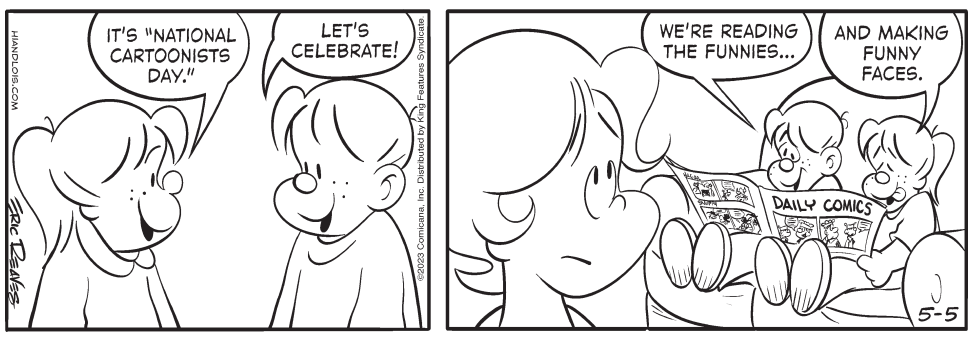

BABY BLUES

DAD, THERE ARE ELEVEN PICKLES IN THIS JAR.
IF I EAT SEVEN OF THEM, HOW MANY WILL BE LEFT FOR YOU?
FOUR.
HEH. HEH. HEH.
NO FAIR TRICKING DAD INTO DOING YOUR MATH PROBLEMS!
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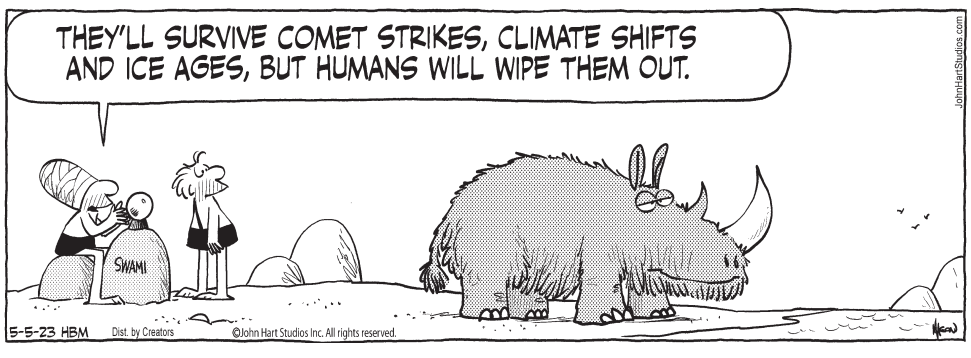
THEY'LL SURVIVE COMET STRIKES, CLIMATE SHIFTS AND ICE AGES, BUT HUMANS WILL WIPE THEM OUT.
SWAMI
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CURTIS

LOOK AT THIS VIDEO 'BOUT A GIRL WITH A REALLY, REALLY BIG REAR END!
THE OTHER GIRLS SHE'S PASSIN' LOOK MEAN AND JEALOUS
AND THE GUYS LOOK LIKE THEY WANNA GET WITH HER!
WOULD YOU FIND IT SO FUNNY IF THAT YOUNG LADY WAS YOUR SISTER?
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WIZARD OF ID

HEY, HON! ATTIC CLEANING DAY JUST BECAME ATTIC CLEANING MONTH
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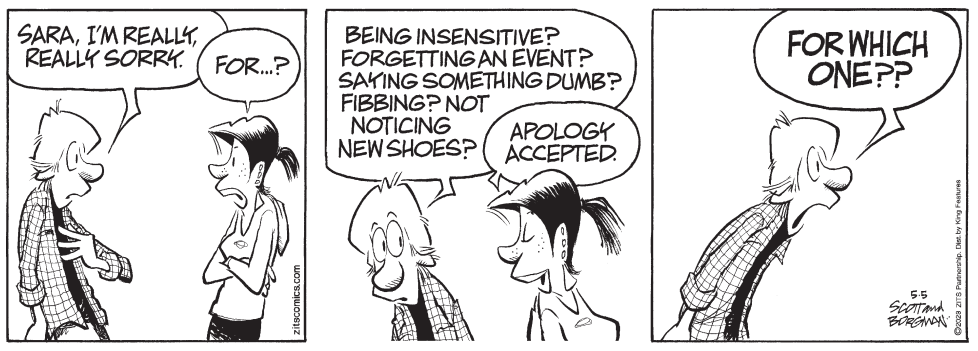
SARA, I'M REALLY, REALLY SORRY.
FOR...?
BEING INSENSITIVE? FORGETTING AN EVENT? SAYING SOMETHING DUMB? FIBBING? NOT NOTICING NEW SHOES?
APOLOGY ACCEPTED.
FOR WHICH ONE??
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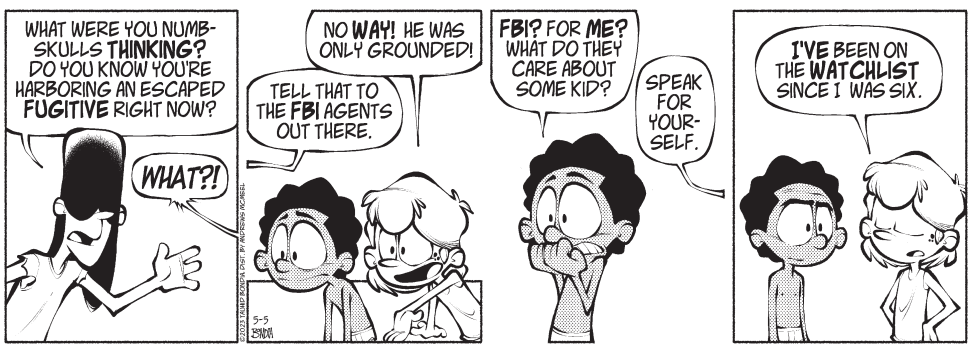
WHAT WERE YOU NUMB-SKULLS THINKING? DO YOU KNOW YOU'RE HARBORING AN ESCAPED FUGITIVE RIGHT NOW?
WHAT?!
NO WAY! HE WAS ONLY GROUNDED!
TELL THAT TO THE FBI AGENTS OUT THERE.
FBI? FOR ME? WHAT DO THEY CARE ABOUT SOME KID?
SPEAK FOR YOUR-SELF.
I'VE BEEN ON THE WATCHLIST SINCE I WAS SIX.
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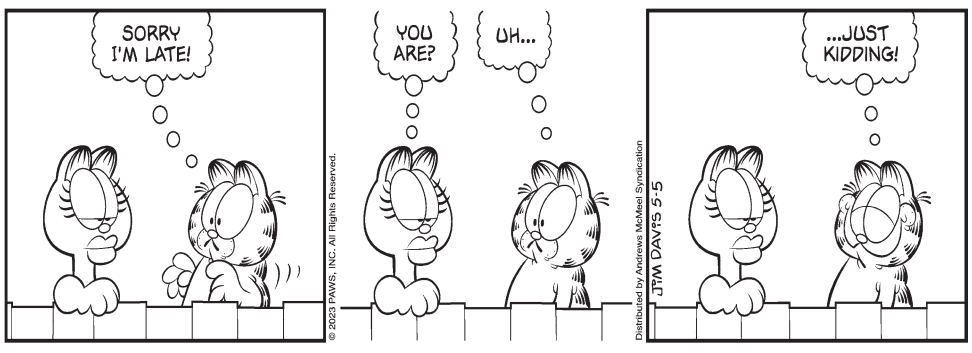

FORT KNOX

THERE'S BEEN A BIG CHANGE IN MONDO SINCE HE WENT ON HIS ANXIETY MEDS, FRANK.
HOW SO?
HE USED TO RUN ALL OVER THE HOUSE AND BARK.
THAT SOUNDS HORRIBLE.
IT WAS...NOW HE JUST LIES ON THE COUCH.
TERRIFIC!
AND BARKS.
Hi
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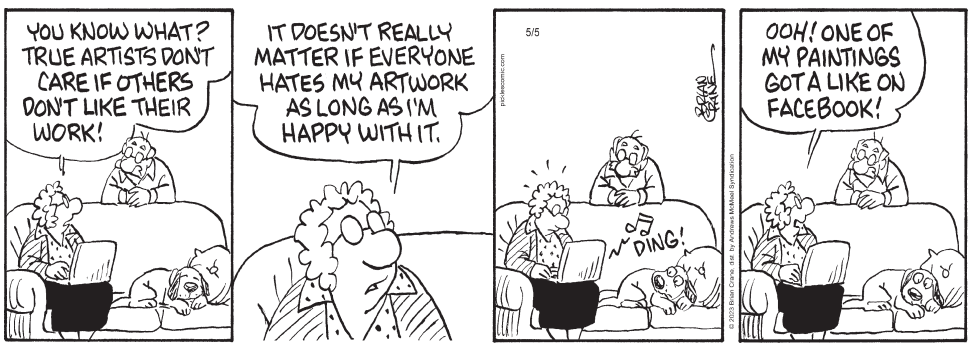
YOU KNOW WHAT? TRUE ARTISTS DON'T CARE IF OTHERS DON'T LIKE THEIR WORK!
IT DOESN'T REALLY MATTER IF EVERYONE HATES MY ARTWORK AS LONG AS I'M HAPPY WITH IT.
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DING!
OOH! ONE OF MY PAINTINGS GOT A LIKE ON FACEBOOK!
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Friday, May 5, the 125th day of 2023. There are 240 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 5, 1961, astronaut Alan B. Shepard Jr. became America's first space traveler as he made a 15-minute suborbital flight aboard Mercury capsule Freedom 7.

On this date:

In 1494, during his second voyage to the Western Hemisphere, Christopher Columbus landed in Jamaica.

In 1821, Napoleon Bonaparte, 51, died in exile on the island of St. Helena.

In 1925, schoolteacher John T. Scopes was charged in Tennessee with violating a state law that prohibited teaching the theory of evolution. (Scopes was found guilty, but his conviction was later set aside.)

In 1942, wartime sugar rationing began in the United States.

In 1945, in the only fatal attack of its kind during World War II, a Japanese balloon bomb exploded on Gearhart Mountain in Oregon, killing the pregnant wife of a minister and five children. Denmark and the Netherlands were liberated as a German surrender went into effect.

In 1973, Secretariat won the Kentucky Derby, the first of his Triple Crown victories.

In 1981, Irish Republican Army hunger-striker Bobby Sands died at the Maze Prison in Northern Ireland on his 66th day without food.

In 1994, Singapore caned American teenager Michael Fay for vandalism, a day after the sentence was reduced from six lashes to four in response to an appeal by President Bill Clinton.

In 2009, Texas health officials confirmed the first death of a U.S. resident with swine flu.

In 2014, a narrowly divided Supreme Court upheld Christian prayers at the start of local council meetings.

In 2016, former Los Angeles trash collector Lonnie Franklin Jr. was convicted of 10 counts of murder in the "Grim Sleeper" serial killings that targeted poor, young Black women over two decades.

In 2020, Tyson Foods said it would resume limited operation of its huge pork processing plant in Waterloo, Iowa, with enhanced safety measures, more than two weeks after closing the facility because of a coronavirus outbreak among workers.

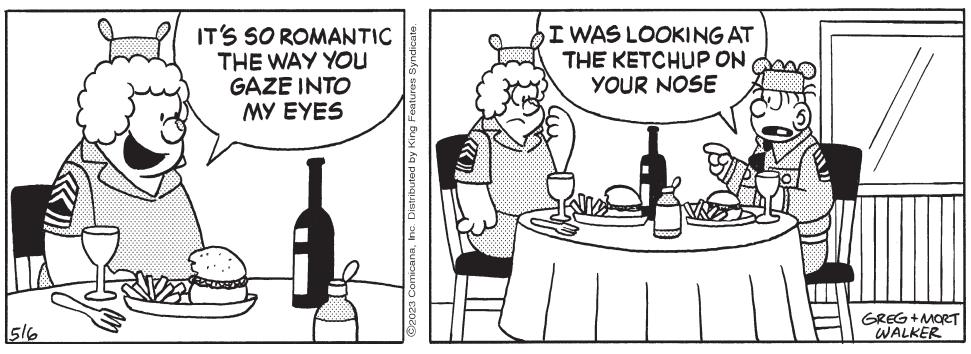
Ten years ago: In Afghanistan, seven Americans and one German soldier were killed in three separate attacks. Former U.S. Rep. Gabrielle Giffords, seriously wounded in a 2011 shooting at a Tucson, Arizona, shopping mall, received the 2013 Profile in Courage award at the John F. Kennedy Library in Boston.

Five years ago: Russians demonstrated in scores of cities across the country against the impending inauguration of Vladimir Putin to a new term as president, and police responded by reportedly arresting nearly 1,600 of them. North Korea readjusted its time zone to match South Korea's, saying it was an early step toward making the longtime rivals "become one." NASA launched the Mars InSight lander from California on a flight of more than six months to the red planet, where the robot geologist would dig deeper in to the Martian surface than ever before.

One year ago: Ukrainian fighters in the tunnels underneath Mariupol's pulverized steel plant held out against Russian troops in an increasingly desperate effort to deny Moscow what would be its biggest success of the war yet: the full capture of the strategic port city. (The siege would end with Russia capturing the city May 20.) President Joe Biden named Karine Jean-Pierre to be White House press secretary, the first Black woman and openly LGBTQ person to serve in the role.

Today's Birthdays: Country singer-musician Roni Stoneman is 85. Actor Michael Murphy is 85. Actor Lance Henriksen is 83. Comedian-actor Michael Palin is 80. Actor John Rhys-Davies is 79. Rock correspondent Kurt Loder is 78. Rock musician Bill Ward (Black Sabbath) is 75. Actor Melinda Culea is 68. Actor Lisa Eilbacher is 66. Actor Richard E. Grant is 66. Former broadcast journalist John Miller is 65. Rock singer Ian McCulloch (Echo and the Bunnymen) is 64. Broadcast journalist Brian Williams is 64. Rock musician Shawn Drover (Megadeth) is 57. TV personality Kyan (KY'-ihn) Douglas is 53. Actor Tina Yothers is 50. R&B singer Raheem DeVaughn is 48. Actor Santiago Cabrera is 45. Actor Vincent Kartheiser is 44. Singer Craig David is 42. Actor Danielle Fishel is 42. Actor Henry Cavill is 40. Actor Clark Duke is 38. Soul singer Adele is 35. Rock singer Skye Sweetnam is 35. R&B singer Chris Brown is 34. Figure skater Nathan Chen is 24.

BEETLE BAILEY


IT'S SO ROMANTIC THE WAY YOU GAZE INTO MY EYES
I WAS LOOKING AT THE KETCHUP ON YOUR NOSE
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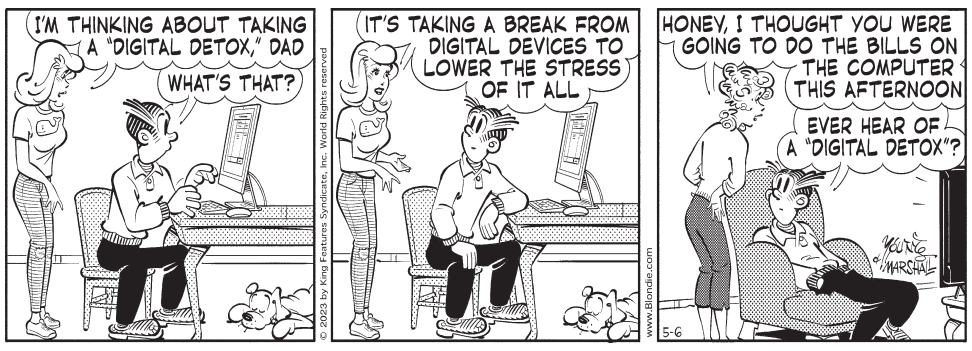
I'M THINKING ABOUT TAKING A "DIGITAL DETOX," DAD
WHAT'S THAT?
IT'S TAKING A BREAK FROM DIGITAL DEVICES TO LOWER THE STRESS OF IT ALL
HONEY, I THOUGHT YOU WERE GOING TO DO THE BILLS ON THE COMPUTER THIS AFTERNOON
EVER HEAR OF A "DIGITAL DETOX"?
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YOUNG & MARSHALL

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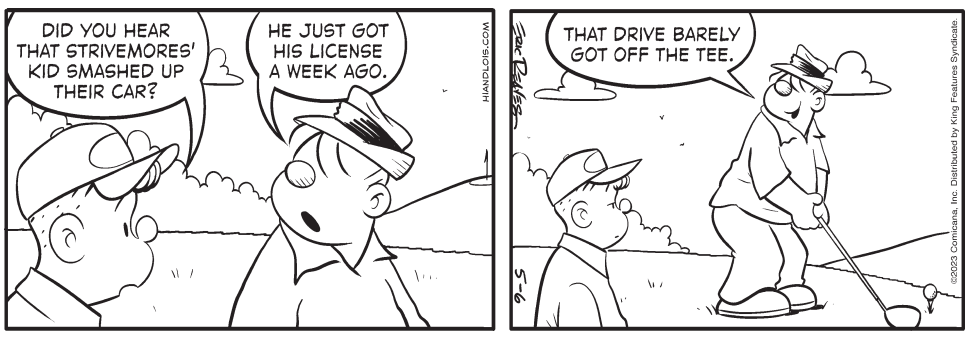
DID YOU HEAR THAT STRIVEMORES' KID SMASHED UP THEIR CAR?
HE JUST GOT HIS LICENSE A WEEK AGO.
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THAT DRIVE BARELY GOT OFF THE TEE.
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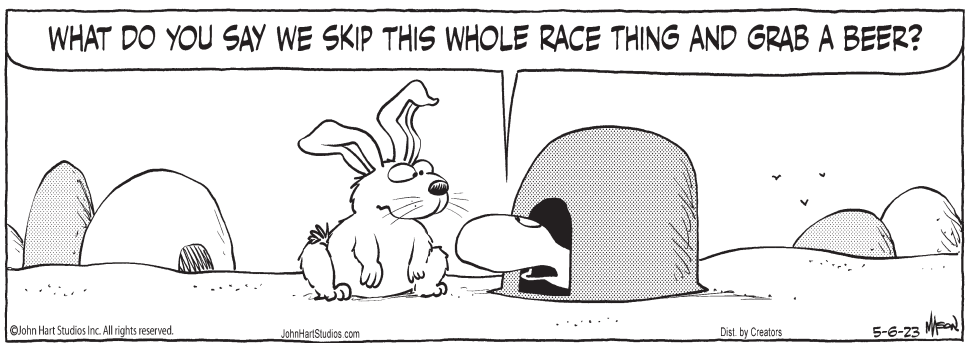
WHAT DO YOU SAY WE SKIP THIS WHOLE RACE THING AND GRAB A BEER?
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CRABGRASS

FBI OPEN UP!
THIS IS IT! YOU RUN! I'LL HOLD 'EM OFF!
BANG BANG
RUN WHERE?!
BANG BANG
JUST HEAD SOUTH! DON'T STOP 'TIL YOU HIT MEXICO!
I DON'T WANNA LIVE IN MEXICO!
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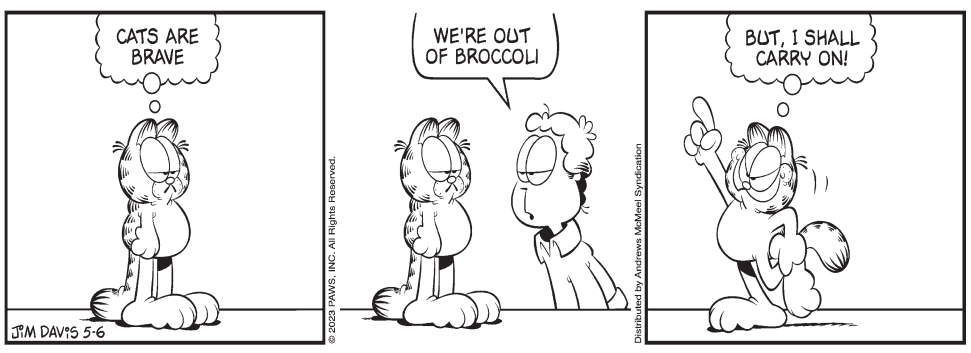
CATS ARE BRAVE
WE'RE OUT OF BROCCOLI
BUT, I SHALL CARRY ON!
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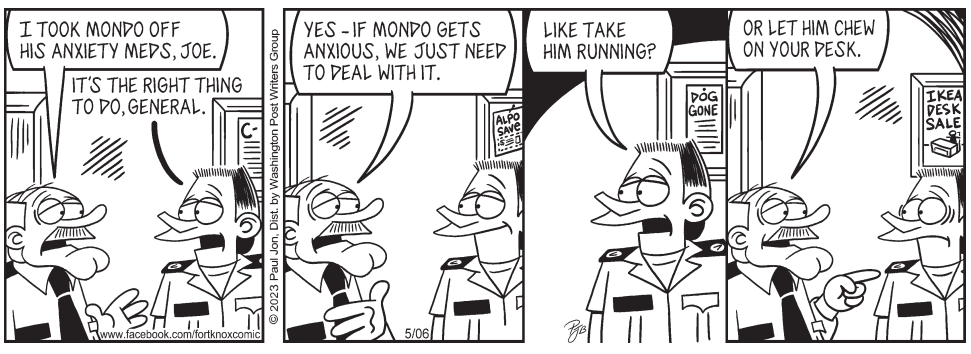
I TOOK MONDO OFF HIS ANXIETY MEDS, JOE.
IT'S THE RIGHT THING TO DO, GENERAL.
YES - IF MONDO GETS ANXIOUS, WE JUST NEED TO DEAL WITH IT.
LIKE TAKE HIM RUNNING?
OR LET HIM CHEW ON YOUR DESK.
ALPO SAVE
DOG GONE
IKEA DESK SALE
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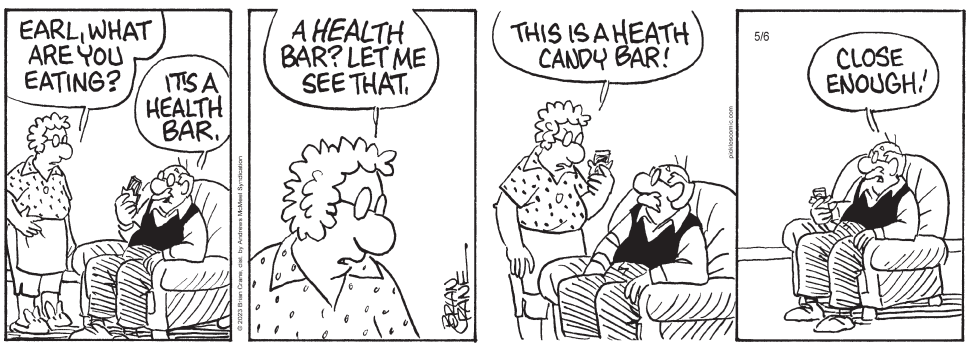
EARL, WHAT ARE YOU EATING?
IT'S A HEALTH BAR.
A HEALTH BAR? LET ME SEE THAT.
THIS IS A HEATH CANDY BAR!
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CLOSE ENOUGH!
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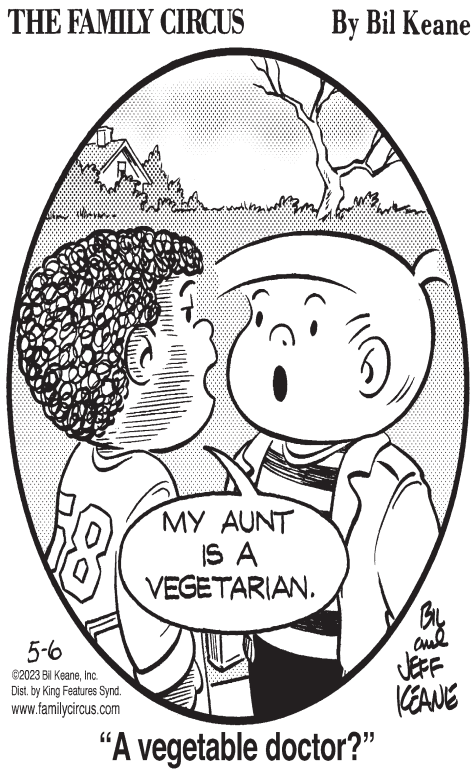

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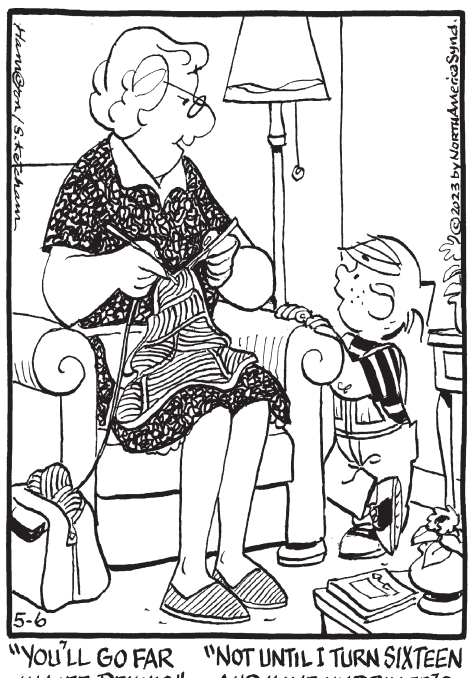

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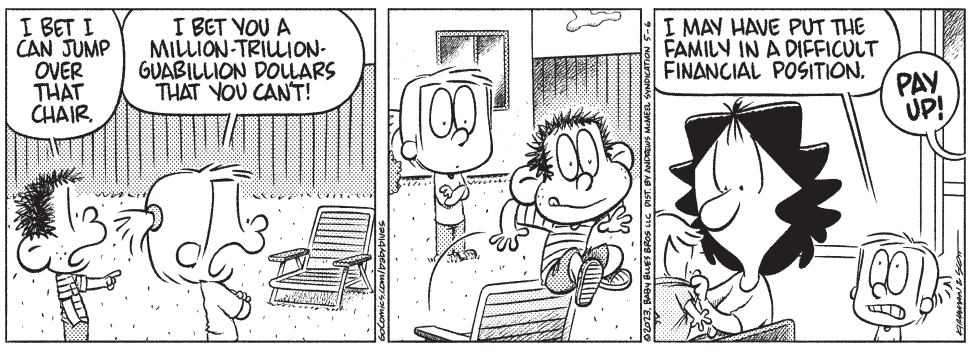
I BET I CAN JUMP OVER THAT CHAIR.
I BET YOU A MILLION-TRILLION-GUABILLION DOLLARS THAT YOU CAN'T!
I MAY HAVE PUT THE FAMILY IN A DIFFICULT FINANCIAL POSITION.
PAY UP!
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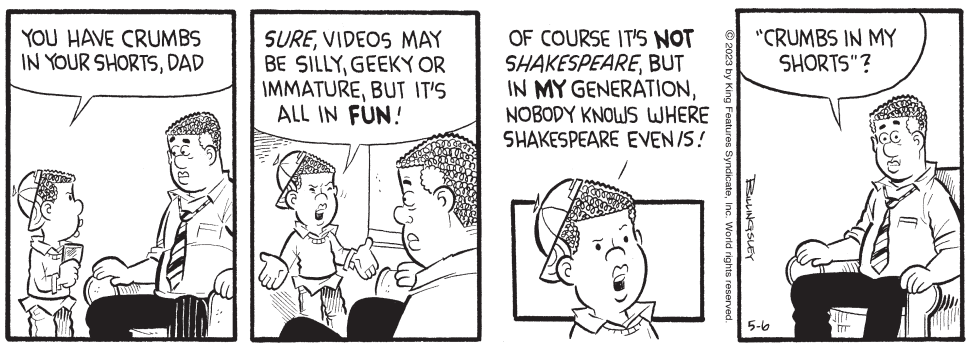
YOU HAVE CRUMBS IN YOUR SHORTS, DAD
SURE, VIDEOS MAY BE SILLY, GEEKY OR IMMATURE, BUT IT'S ALL IN FUN!
OF COURSE IT'S NOT SHAKESPEARE, BUT IN MY GENERATION, NOBODY KNOWS WHERE SHAKESPEARE EVEN IS!
"CRUMBS IN MY SHORTS"?
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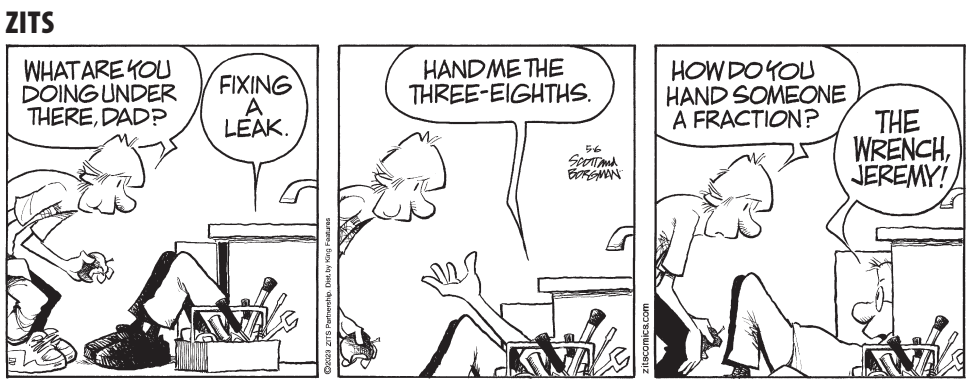
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Saturday, May 6, the 126th day of 2023. There are 239 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On May 6, 1937, the hydrogen-filled German airship Hindenburg caught fire and crashed while attempting to dock at Lakehurst, New Jersey; 35 of the 97 people on board were killed along with a crewman on the ground.

On this date:

In 1882, President Chester Alan Arthur signed the Chinese Exclusion Act, which barred Chinese immigrants from the U.S. for 10 years (Arthur had opposed an earlier version with a 20-year ban).

In 1935, the Works Progress Administration began operating under an executive order signed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

In 1941, Josef Stalin assumed the Soviet premiership, replacing Vyacheslav M. Molotov. Comedian Bob Hope did his first USO show before an audience of servicemen as he broadcast his radio program from March Field in Riverside, California.

In 1942, during World War II, some 15,000 American and Filipino troops on Corregidor island surrendered to Japanese forces.

In 1954, medical student Roger Bannister broke the four-minute mile during a track meet in Oxford, England, in 3:59.4.

In 1994, former Arkansas state worker Paula Jones filed suit against President Bill Clinton, alleging he'd sexually harassed her in 1991. (Jones reached a settlement with Clinton in November 1998.)

In 2004, President George W. Bush apologized for the abuse of Iraqi prisoners by American soldiers, calling it "a stain on our country's honor"; he rejected calls for Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld's resignation.

In 2006, Lillian Gertrud Asplund, the last American survivor of the sinking of the Titanic, died in Shrewsbury, Massachusetts, at age 99.

In 2010, a computerized sell order triggered a "flash crash" on Wall Street, sending the Dow Jones industrials to a loss of nearly 1,000 points in less than half an hour.

In 2013, kidnap-rape victims Amanda Berry, Gina DeJesus and Michelle Knight, who went missing separately about a decade earlier while in their teens or early 20s, were rescued from a house just south of downtown Cleveland. (Their captor, Ariel Castro, hanged himself in prison in September 2013 at the beginning of a life sentence plus 1,000 years.)

In 2020, New York City began shutting down its subway system overnight to allow for additional cleaning and disinfecting of cars and stations amid the pandemic. President Donald Trump reversed course on plans to wind down his COVID-19 task force; he said the force would shift its focus toward rebooting the economy and developing a vaccine.

Ten years ago: Grammy-winning singer Lauryn Hill was sentenced by a federal judge in Newark, New Jersey, to three months in prison for failing to pay about $1 million in taxes over the previous decade.

Five years ago: The number of homes destroyed by Hawaii's Kilauea volcano reached 26, as scientists reported lava spewing more than 200 feet into the air. Actor Ashley Judd sued disgraced producer Harvey Weinstein, alleging sexual harassment and defamation.

One year ago: The United Nations raced to rescue more civilians from the tunnels under a besieged steel plant in Mariupol and the city at large, even as fighters holed up at the sprawling complex made their last stand to prevent Moscow's complete takeover of the strategic port.

Today's Birthdays: Baseball Hall of Famer Willie Mays is 92. Sen. Richard Shelby, R-Ala., is 89. Rock singer Bob Seger is 78. Singer Jimmie Dale Gilmore is 78. Gospel singer-comedian Lulu Roman is 77. Actor Alan Dale is 76. Actor Richard Cox is 75. Actor Gregg Henry is 71. Former British Prime Minister Tony Blair is 70. TV personality Tom Bergeron is 68. Actor Roma Downey is 63. Rock singer John Flansburgh (They Might Be Giants) is 63. Actor Julianne Phillips is 63. Actor-director George Clooney is 62. Actor Clay O'Brien is 62. Rock singer-musician Tony Scalzo (Fastball) is 59. Actor Leslie Hope is 58. Actor Geneva Carr (TV: "Bull") is 57. Rock musician Mark Bryan (Hootie and the Blowfish) is 56. Rock musician Chris Shiflett (Foo Fighters) is 52. Actor Stacey Oristano is 44. Actor Gabourey Sidibe is 40. Actor-comedian Sasheer Zamata is 37. Rapper Meek Mill is 36. Houston Astros infielder Jose Altuve is 33. Actor-singer Naomi Scott is 30. Actor Noah Galvin is 29.

OBITUARIES

Pat Ackerman

Patsy Ann "Pat" Ackerman, 88, of Liberty, Ohio and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Monday, May 1, 2023, at the Story Point in Hamilton, Ohio.

She was born on Jan. 15, 1935, in Cleveland, Virginia, to Elkanie E. "Kaney" and Elizabeth Emeline Lockhart Harris. She was a 1951 graduate of Cleveland High School and lived in Hamilton from 1958 to 1965. She married Harold Edward Ackerman on June 16, 1962, in China, Indiana, and they had a daughter. She had worked for Standard Life from 1952 to 1956 in Greensboro, South Carolina, for Burlington Industries from 1956 to 1958, for Mills Bros. Construction in Jefferson, Virginia from 1957 to 1958 and for Hamilton Foundry and Ratheon in Bristol, Tennessee from 1958 to 1962. She moved to Madison in 1965 and first worked for Dr. Childs in the X-ray department and then at King's Daughters' Hospital as a secretary for a total of 31 years. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Madison and enjoyed her family, playing cards, reading and walking. She moved to Fairfield to be near her nephews.

Survivors include her nephews, Doug Harris of Hamilton and Greg Harris of Fairfield; her niece, Carol Jersey of Big Canoe, Georgia; and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband on Feb. 9, 1994, her daughter, Lisa Ann Ackerman on Oct. 10, 1969; a brother, Gean A. Harris on July 14, 2009; and her sisters, Madeline Mile on Oct. 3, 2016 and Sue Wright on May 1, 2023.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 6, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. Interment will follow in St. Patrick Cemetery in Madison. Visitation is 10 a.m. until the time of services on Saturday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Calvary Baptist Church through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Phillip Buchanan Jr.

Phillip Morris "Shorty" Buchanan Jr., 69, of Dupont, Indiana, died Monday, May 1, 2023, at his home in Dupont.

He was born on April 23, 1954 in Jefferson County, Indiana, to Phillip Morris and Jessie E. Giltner Buchanan. He was raised in Dupont and was a 1972 graduate of Madison Consolidated High School. He attended Ivy Tech Community College and Indiana University Southeast. He married Corina S. Baatz Buchanan on Sept. 10, 1994, in Switzerland County, Indiana and they had two daughters. He retired from Rotary Lift as a machine operator after 34-1/2 years. He was a member of Middlefork Christian Church where he served as an elder. He enjoyed being in the outdoors, hunting, fishing and loved to read.

Survivors include his wife of 28 years of Dupont; his daughters, Brandi Kelley of Cincinnati and Bridgette Beach of Madison, Indiana; his sisters, Judy Buchanan of Commiskey, Indiana, Angela Buchanan of Dupont, Anita Buchanan of Tennessee, Hope Helms of Madison and Andrea Buchanan; his brothers, Leroy Buchanan Sr. of Dupont and Keith Buchanan of Commiskey; and a grandson, several nieces and nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

A celebration of life will be held at 3 p.m. on Sunday, May 7, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison Visitation is 1 p.m. until the time of services on Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Shorty Buchanan Remembrance Fund through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Jackie Eads

Jackie Eads, 73, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Tuesday, May 2, 2023, at Bedford Springs Health and Rehab Center in Bedford, Kentucky. He was born on March 28, 1950, in Cincinnati.

Survivors include his friend and caretaker, Teri Casper of Carrollton.

Memorial services will be at 4 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, at English Baptist Church near Carrollton.

Arrangements entrusted to Ransdell Funeral Home in Bedford. Online condolences, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

Verbal Duncan

Verbal McCord Duncan, 89, of Cornelius, North Carolina and formerly of Milton, Kentucky, died Thursday, April 20, 2023.

She was born in Milton to Ansel and Thelma Chandler McCord. She married Robert G. Duncan in 1951 and they lived in Milton until 1972 when they moved to Florida. She attended school in Milton and graduated from Daytona Beach Community College with a degree in accounting. She and her husband worked for several years in condominium management, and she worked for Jim "Buddy" Davenport State Farm Insurance for 14 years in New Smyrna Beach, Florida. She was a member of Milton United Methodist Church early in life and later at Coronado United Methodist Church in New Smyrna Beach where she was active in the choir for many years.

Survivors include three children, Christy Lange, Amy Duncan and Jim Duncan; one sister, Carolyn Wyant; a dear friend, Dr. Clyde Walker; and six grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and other family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband.

A graveside service for family and close friends will be at 11 a.m. on Monday, May 22, at Moffett Cemetery in Milton.

Arrangements entrusted to Ransdell Funeral Home in Bedford, Kentucky. Online condolences, www.ransdellfuneral.com.

Clara Nicholson

Clara Moore Nicholson, 78, Madison, Indiana, died Wednesday, May 3, 2023. She was born on May 27, 1944.

A graveside service will be held at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, May 9, at the Double Springs Cemetery in Waynesburg, Kentucky, with interment to follow. Visitation is 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday, May 8, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison, Indiana.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Clara Nicholson Remembrance Fund through the funeral home. Online condolences and memorials, www.morgan-nay.com.

Proud Boys' Tarrio guilty of Jan. 6 seditious conspiracy

BY MICHAEL KUNZELMAN, LINDSAY WHITEHURST AND ALANNA DURKIN RICHER
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Former Proud Boys leader Enrique Tarrio and three other members of the far-right extremist group were convicted Thursday of a plot to attack the U.S. Capitol in a desperate bid to keep Donald Trump in power after the Republican lost the 2020 presidential election.

A jury in Washington, D.C., found Tarrio and three lieutenants guilty of seditious conspiracy after hearing from dozens of witnesses over more than three months in one of the most serious cases brought in the stunning attack that unfolded on Jan. 6, 2021, as the world watched on live TV.

Jurors cleared a fifth defendant — Dominic Pezzola — of the sedition charge, though he was convicted of other serious felonies. The judge excused the jury without delivering a verdict on some counts — including another conspiracy charge for Pezzola — after jurors failed to reach a unanimous decision.

It's a significant milestone for the Justice Department, which has now secured seditious conspiracy convictions against the leaders of two major extremist groups prosecutors say were intent on keeping Democratic President Joe Biden out of the White House at all costs. The charge carries a prison sentence of up to 20 years.

"The Justice Department will never stop working to defend the democracy to which all Americans are entitled," Attorney General Merrick Garland told reporters after the verdict.

Tarrio, behind bars since his March 2022 arrest, didn't appear to show any emotion as the verdict was read. He hugged one of his lawyers and shook the hand of the other before leaving the courtroom. A few of the people sitting among the defendants' relatives wiped away tears as the verdict was read.

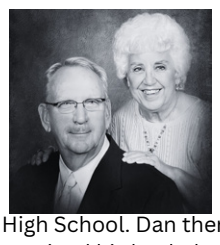
The verdict comes after a trial that took more than twice as long as originally expected, slowed by bickering, mistrial motions and revelations of government informants in the group. Securing the conviction of Tarrio, a high-profile leader who wasn't at the riot itself, could embolden the Justice Department as a special counsel investigates Trump, including key aspects of the Jan. 6 insurrection.

Special Counsel Jack Smith in recent weeks has sought the testimony of many people close to Trump. They include former Vice President Mike Pence, who testified before a grand jury last week, likely giving prosecutors a key first-person account about certain conversations and events in the weeks preceding the riot.

Tarrio was a top target of what has become the largest Justice Department investigation in American history. He led the neo-fascist group — known for street fights with left-wing activists — when Trump infamously told the Proud Boys to "stand back and stand by" during his first debate with Biden.

Tarrio wasn't in Washington on Jan. 6, because he had been arrested two days earlier in a separate case and ordered out of the capital city. But prosecutors said he organized and directed the attack by Proud Boys who stormed the Capitol that day.

Let Us Pause To Honor the Memory of Mr. Danny Dale Thurston



Mr. Danny Dale Thurston, age 82 of Madison, Indiana, entered this life on November 10, 1940 in Shelbyville, Indiana. He was the loving son of Dale "Tack" and Frances "Barney" McComas Thurston. He was raised in Shelbyville and was a 1959 graduate of Shelbyville High School. Dan then attended Ball State University and received his bachelors degree in education in 1963. He then went on and received his masters degree from Indiana University. On August 8, 1964, Dan was united in marriage to Judith Dianne Wagner in Shelbyville, Indiana. This happy union of 58 years was blessed with one son, Danny Dale, Jr. Dan and Judy moved to Mooresville in 1966 and he began his career with Mooresville Consolidated Schools. He was a social studies teacher and later taught ISS and retired after many years. While at Mooresville Consolidated Schools, he was a golf coach, assistant basketball coach, and driver's education instructor. After retirement, Dan drove for Perry Acoustics for many years as a courier. In 2015, Dan and Judy moved to Madison to be closer to their son. In Madison, Dan drove for various car dealerships as a deliverer. Dan enjoyed playing fast pitch softball and was a member of the ASA Hall of Fame. He was an avid golfer and sports fan. He especially enjoyed Notre Dame football, Indiana University basketball, Green Bay Packers, and Cincinnati Reds baseball. Dan also enjoyed supporting the Southwestern Rebels baseball program, where his son coaches. Most of all, Dan loved his family and was a devoted husband, dad, and pa to his grandchildren. Danny died on Wednesday, April 26, 2023, at 9:27 a.m. at his home in Madison, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Danny will be missed by his loving son, Danny Dale Thurston, Jr. and his wife Jackie of Madison, Indiana; his grandsons, Danny Dale "Trey" Thurston III and his wife Pam of Harraget, Tennessee, and Patrick "Ryan" Thurston and his fiancee Addison Nolan of McCordsville, Indiana; his granddaughter, Trisha Dianne Thurston and her companion Zander Steele of Charleston, South Carolina; his sister in law, Janet Dostal of Longmont, Colorado; his brother in law, Rick Tingle of Beech Grove, Indiana; his special nephew, Ron Dostal of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Dale "Tack" Thurston, his mother, Frances "Barney" McComas Thurston, his wife of 58 years, Judith "Judy" Dianne Wagner Thurston, died September 17, 2022, and his sister, Kay Tingle, died February 4, 2023.

MEMORIAL GATHERING

There will be a memorial gathering on Saturday, May 6, 2023 from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL GATHERING

There will be a memorial gathering on Monday, May 8, 2023 from 4:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m. at the Carlisle Branson Funeral Service and Crematory, 39 East High Street in Mooresville, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to Southwestern Baseball Program. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover or the Carlisle Branson Funeral Home. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com or visit www.CarlisleBranson.com

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Honoring Sally Glenna Stanner McKenna

Sally McKenna, 82, was born on March 3, 1941 in Madison, Indiana to Helen Boggess Stanner and the late Glenn Robert Stanner. After graduating Shawe Memorial High School in Madison in 1959, Sally graduated from Ursuline College (now Bellarmine) in Louisville with a Bachelors in Education in 1963 and achieved a Masters from Indiana University in 1967. Sally married James J. McKenna, Jr. on October 17, 1964 at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Madison. This happy union of 54 years was blessed with a son, Brian and a daughter, Jennifer. Sally began her career as an English teacher in Madison at both the Junior High and High Schools. From there, she also taught in Brownstown and Medora in Jackson County and at Cardinal Ritter High School for one year in Indianapolis. After her retirement, her beloved husband Jim endured multiple health challenges, and she cared for him for the last 24 years of his life. She participated in the Jefferson County Retired Teachers Association and the Indiana State Retired Teachers Association. She was a faithful member of the Prince of Peace Catholic Parish and enjoyed helping with the Prince of Peace Ladies Organization. She enjoyed reading, crossword puzzles, being with her family, sports and politics. Sally died on May 3, 2023 at 5:55 a.m. at the River Terrace Health Campus in Madison, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Sally will be missed by her loving son, Brian P. McKenna and his wife, Angel of Beech Grove, Indiana; her loving daughter, Jennifer McKenna Weinbaum of Atlanta, Georgia; her grandchildren, Kandace, Tiffany, Skylar, Halen, Brendan, McKenna, Celaithia, Ian, Adele, Madelyn; 11-great grandchildren; her sisters, Mary Carol Lorton of Madison, Indiana, Susan Burke of Charlestown, Indiana, Jeanette Hertz of Madison, Indiana; her brother, Michael Scarff and his wife, Nita of Madison, Indiana; her brother in law, Tom F. McKenna and his wife, Mary Ann of Carmel, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Glenn Robert Stanner, died September 8, 1940, her mother, Helen Boggess Stanner Scarff Henson, died December 13, 1997, her beloved husband of 54 years, James J. "Jim" McKenna, Jr., died November 18, 2018, her step fathers, J. Richard Scarff, died April 14, 1970, and William C. Henson, died in 1995, her brothers in law, Richard L. Burke, died December 25, 2010 and Donn W. Lorton, died December 19, 2022.

MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Funeral mass will be conducted Monday, May 8, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. by Father Christopher A. Craig at the Prince of Peace Catholic Church, 413 East Second Street in downtown Madison, Indiana. Interment will follow in the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Sunday, May 7, from 4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m. and from 9:00 a.m. on Monday, May 8 until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

THE ROSARY

The Rosary will be prayed on Sunday, May 7 at 7:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Friends of Shawe and Pope John. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com <http://www.morgan-nay.com>

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Carroll schools to offer virtual option in 2023-24

BY JENNIFER WILLHOITE
SPECIAL TO THE COURIER

The district considered offering a virtual academy last year. However, the board has determined it is time to give families a virtual option.

Virtual education was forced upon the world in recent years due to the COVID-19 epidemic, but it will soon become a regular offering for students in Carroll County.

The Carroll County Virtual Academy (CCVA) will be an official offering in the 2023-2024 school year. Gerda Wise, an educator for 38 years in Carroll County Schools, will be the coordinator of the program. It is only open to sixth through 12th grade students.

Courses will be facilitated through the use of the online platform Edgenuity. Wise said she has personal experience with Edgenuity through her two sons and she was impressed with the program and its ability to prepare them for college courses.

The district considered offering a virtual academy last year. However, the board has determined it is time to give families a virtual option. Wise will be the first point of contact for those families.

"The goal is to try to meet the needs of parents and children who want a different kind of education," she explained. Society has changed its way of thinking following COVID and some families simply do not want a traditional educational experience for their children.

Even though there will be differences, students must attend class daily and the requirements are pretty stringent. Parents also must complete an application for their child to be considered for the virtual academy.

There will also be times when parents have to bring their children to the school buildings, such as for end-of-year standardized testing. In addition, if a student falls behind in his/her work, the parent will have to bring them into the building to meet in person with a teacher and become current.

"They will be students of the middle and high schools," Wise said. "They can do all extracurricular activities, sports, but they cannot participate in any activities or classes offered inside the schools during the school day."

They will be able to take classes through the Area Technology Center and the Jefferson Community and Technical College Carrollton Campus, the same as currently offered. Wise stressed that the virtual students will be held to the same standards as in-person students. Their attendance requirements will be the same as will the number of classes required to graduate.

"This is not the answer for 100% of students, but I do think for some students, this will be a good option," Wise said. "COVID allowed people to see that school can be done in different ways."

Anyone interested in CCVA should contact Wise at 502-525-1171. Applications are available at the Board of Education, 813 Hawkins Street, Carrollton. Applications will be reviewed weekly and families notified in a timely manner.

Committee to consider next Trimble superintendent

BY PAXTON MEDIA GROUP

The search for the next superintendent of Trimble County Schools continues this week with a pair of public meetings, according to information released by the school district.

The district's search committee was to meet Wednesday, May 3 and Thursday, May 4, to continue developing a list of candidates for the position that will open with the retirement of Superintendent Jessica Wilcoxson later this year after 27 years with the district.

The meetings are open to the public but mostly expected to include executive sessions, during which the committee is statutorily allowed to discuss specific personnel behind closed doors.

The agenda for the May 4 meeting included approval of a slate of candidates to be recommended to the Trimble County Board of Education. The names of those candidates will not be released to the public,

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The organization to finally make the commitment is the Kindred Folk Society, founded long ago as RiverRoots' non-profit arm. Current members Jack Wilhelm, Jane Vonderheide, Tony Novello, Pam Brown, Amber Youngblood and Grace Christie decided it was high time to revive the event.

The newly configured RiverRoots will be a slightly scaled down version, held on a single Saturday on June 3. Instead of Bicentennial Park, the festival will be held in the heart of downtown Madison on Mulberry Street. And instead of a somewhat pricey ticket for admission, the event throughout the day will be free and open to the public.

There will be a ticketed concert in the evening at Red Bike Hall, featuring Lilly Hiatt Band with Paleface opening. Tickets are a very reasonable $20 and available at Madtixevents.com.

"It was very important to us to keep the family-oriented feel," explains Vonderheide. "The kids' activities, the arts and crafts, the craft beer, those are the things that set RiverRoots apart from other festivals.

"I want people to walk into the event area and just feel the memories come flooding back. We even have the stiltwalker coming back, just like the old days!"

For Tony Novello it's all about the music. "I think RiverRoots was the only pure music festival that Madison had, where music was the main focus and people came to listen. Maybe it was a little ahead of its time. The kind of music we featured back then is pretty much mainstream now. And besides, Madison is Indiana's Music City, we kind of have to bring the festival back."

Jack Wilhelm's reason for bringing RiverRoots back is a little more practical. "It's pretty much all Jane and Pam would talk about, ever since it went away. I figured reviving the festival was the only way to shut them up." he said, joking, of course. "The audience for RiverRoots is still out there, waiting. They are loyal and they will support it, I'm sure. Whether we can grow it back to a larger two-day festival remains to be seen. But this is a good start."

The musical acts during the free, daytime portion of the event include Catfish Seminar, Michael Kelsey, Ellie Ruth, Paleface & Mo, 67 Sun, and the trio Reynolds, Hewitt and Tuttle. Todd Snyder will not be invited or playing this year.

"Pretty much everyone we've asked for sponsorship support has been very generous," adds Jack. "We are still looking for volunteers to help set up and tear down on the day of the event. Oh, and I want to make sure to thank Visit Madison Inc. for letting us use the RiverRoots name. It belongs to VMI and they were very enthusiastic for us to use the brand and stage this revival."

HOT TIP OF THE WEEK

Here's the shows that are jumping off the calendar and grabbing my attention this week. At House of Jane on Thursday you can see Jordan Smart, fresh off his win from a prestigious songwriting competition. On Friday I'm seeing the return of Live Lunch to Lytle Park, plus the return of Chicago bluesman Keith Scott, playing an early show at the SPOT on Mulberry Street, and a later show at the Taproom. Saturday I will always recommend (and attend!) Anthony Ray Wright at Thomas Family Winery. The dude is a true talent! And also of note on Saturday, the Lighthouse floating restaurant is under new ownership and putting more emphasis on live music. They have the always entertaining Sandy Pickett. These are just my picks, though. Take a look at that full music calendar and decide for yourself. Give somebody new a listen. You won't be sorry.

Charlie Rohlfing is a retired advertising man and partner in The Red Bicycle Hall music venue. Look for his distinctive fedora bobbing above the crowd, anywhere live local music is happening.

HANOVER

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"This arrest took a significant methamphetamine dealer off the streets of Jefferson County," said Prosecutor David Sutter. "I appreciate the hard work of the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office and their commitment to investigation of drug and violent crime in our community."

Pike will serve 16-½ years at Indiana Department of Correction, followed by four years on community corrections or other supervised probation.

"Methamphetamine and other illegal drugs continue to be a problem in our community. My office is committed to continuing our efforts to stop the devastating impact, one case at a time," Sutter said.

Photo / Beth Courtney

Deputy Volunteer firefighters respond to a Madison Consolidated School bus fire Tuesday afternoon on Bethany Road near Deputy. Driver Jessie Ritzline is being hailed for safely evacuating all students just before flames engulfed the vehicle. "It could have been much worse," said Deputy Fire Chief Mike Hazelwood. " Everybody was safe; that was the main thing."

FIRE

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He said the fire started in the engine compartment and "spread quickly throughout the whole bus" describing the vehicle as a "total loss.". The cause was not immediately known and the fire remains under investigation.

Although the bus was destroyed, Hazelwood noted that buses can be replaced unlike their precious cargo. "It could have been much worse," he said. " Everybody was safe; that was the main thing."

Additional buses were sent to the scene to assist with the delivery of the afternoon route for the students remaining on the bus at the time of the incident.

Madison Consolidated Schools issued a press release expressing appreciation to the volunteer firefighters of Deputy Fire Department for their swift action. "Seeing familiar faces from our neighborhood fire department helped ease the minds of our students as they waited patiently for other buses to arrive."

Direct communication with Deputy Elementary families was sent shortly after the incident occurred to alert them of the situation. District administrators and School Resource Officers were available on the scene to assist with logistics and to ensure all student needs were met.

Others responding to the scene were Norton King's Daughters' Hospital Emergency Medical Service, Jefferson County Sheriff's Department and Kent Volunteer Fire Department.

YANCEY

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Yancey estimated that $18 million worth of projects have been accomplished during his time as director of facilities and operations with minimal impact on the local tax rate. All buildings now have new roofs with the exception of Lydia Middleton Elementary, which is in the process of getting a new roof, and those roofs should last at least 20 years. Improvements have also been made to HVAC systems to include developing solar efficiencies throughout the school corporation. Lighting enhancements have been made to athletic field and there have been upgrades to Opal Sherman Auditorium that include new dressing rooms, new technology features, LED lights for the stage and a prop room. There have been athletic improvements that include a new weight room, locker rooms and concession stand. A 10,000 square foot addition has been built onto Anderson Elementary to include new classrooms, a new media center, additional restrooms, a conference room and new restrooms.

"It's been a great run on facilities improvements in the last five years," said Yancey, noting it was work needed to maintain the buildings. He gave credit to the last two Madison superintendents as well as recent school boards for supporting quality facilities for Madison Consolidated Schools without impacting tax rates.

While Yancey is pleased with what's been accomplished in his role as Madison with facilities and operations, he is glad that as superintendent at North Lawrence School Corporation he'll be back working directly with educating the community's youth.

"It's exciting to get to be in the education" and to see what students can grow to become, Yancey said. "When we can do something to help a child to learn, we are telling them as a community we care; that we care about them being successful."

Yancey began his career in education during the 1993-94 school year at New Albany High School and Hazelwood Middle School. He was a biology and chemistry teacher at MCHS for seven years starting in the 1995-96 school year and also served as the boys cross country coach. He then served eight years as assistant principal at New Washington Junior-Senior High School before returning to Madison in 2010 as principal at MCHS.

He had high praise for the teachers and staff he worked alongside during his time as MCHS principal and for their role in helping him to develop as an educator. "We had a good group of teachers that had heart" along with an "outstanding staff," he said. He mentioned many individuals who were instrumental in helping him develop as an educator, but cited former MCHS Principal Roger Gallatin (1988-1997) as one in particular who he has tried to emulate. "He was a great mentor and a great adviser."

A 1987 graduate of Shawe Memorial High School, Yancey credits his Catholic education and upbringing for providing his foundation as a person and educator. "I always take the high road. That's how my parents and grandparents raised me, and they were my role models," Yancey said.

Yancey's wife, Jodi, is now in her second term elected to serve on Madison School Board. He said her work on the board and with administrators has provided perspective on how school boards and superintendents interact as assumes his new role as superintendent of North Lawrence. Although he will find a place to live in Lawrence County, there will also be much traveling back and forth while his wife remains in Madison and continues to serve on Madison School Board.

On April 20, the North Lawrence school board held a public hearing for a three-year contract at $130,000 per year. According to the North Lawrence website, the school corporation includes Bedford-North Lawrence High and has a student enrollment of 4,700 students from Kindergarten to 12th grade served by approximately 700 certified and support employees. The hiring of Yancey follows a decision in January by the North Lawrence board to buy out the contract of Ty Mungle. Dr. James Halik has served as interim superintendent since February.

Yancey said he feels good about the opportunity to serve as North Lawrence superintendent and he's looking to build stability in the school corporation beginning with developing a strategic plan.

In 30 years of working in education, Yancey has been employed 20 of those years at Madison Consolidated Schools and been inspired by many people he's worked with during his career. He said he will draw on that in his new role with the North Lawrence school corporation by focusing on making it always about helping the youth to be successful.

"It will be about giving those kids at Bedford the best possible education," he said.

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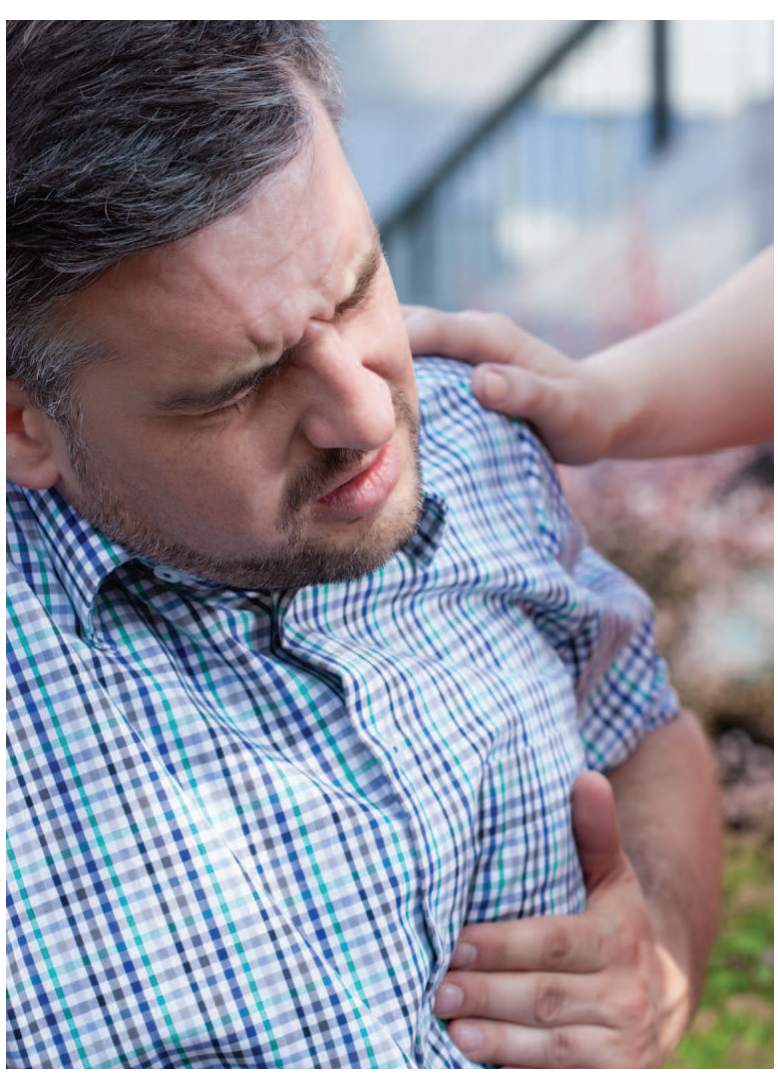

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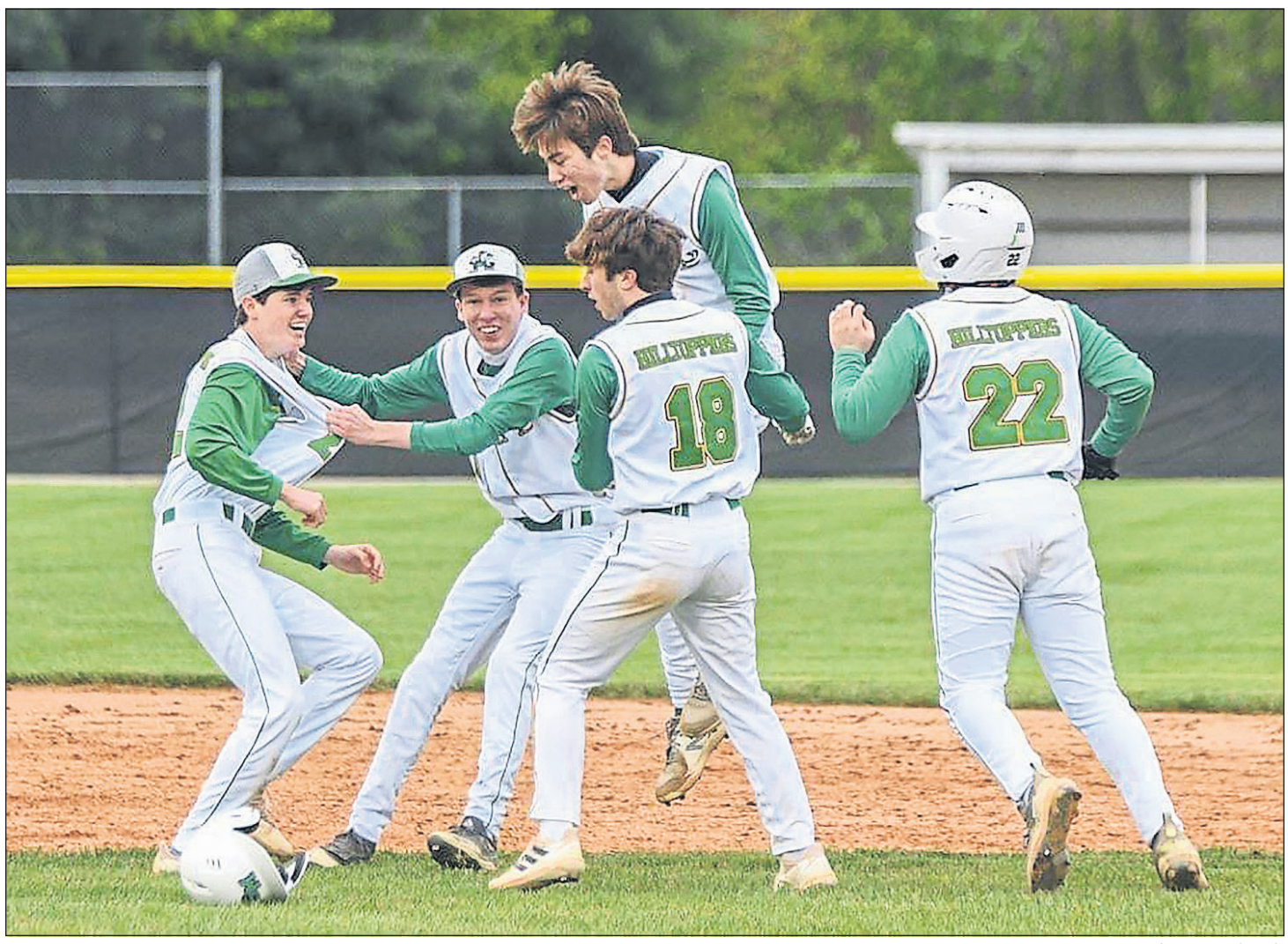

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Shawe's Philip Kahn (leaping) celebrates with teammates (from left) Tyler Hill, Casey Hill, Jacob Hertz and Wyatt Nichter after driving in the winning run in the Hilltoppers' 8-7 win over Switzerland County on Monday in eight innings.

Kahn's hit in 8th beats Switzerland in walk-off

BY JORDAN BEAR

Monday's showdown between Shawe and Switzerland County produced a completely different game and outcome compared to their meeting two weeks ago when the Pacers won 6-0. This time, the two conference rivals battled into extra innings before Shawe grabbed a walk-off 8-7 baseball victory in Madison.

"It wasn't exactly a pretty night for baseball," Shawe coach Geno Pawlak said with a laugh. "I'm so proud of the guys though. In weather like this, it's easy to not be excited or not give the full effort, but our guys never quit and picked up a huge confidence-building win."

It appeared that the Pacers were going to pile on offensively as Mason Peelman drove the very first pitch for a base-hit to give the Pacers an early base runner. A stolen base, and two batters later, he crossed the plate and the Pacers led early 1-0.

Shawe starting pitcher Wyatt Nichter was able to quickly retire the side and limit the damage and the Hilltoppers responded by scoring five unanswered runs off starting pitcher Roman Hite to seemingly take control of the game going into the fourth.

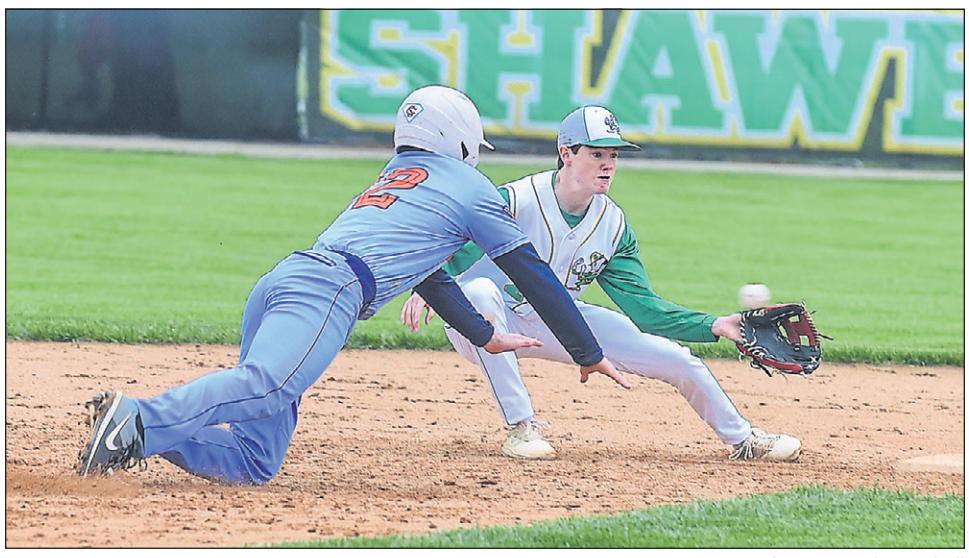

Photo / David Campbell

Switzerland County's Tyler Hoskins (12) dives back into second base as Shawe shortstop Tyler Hill prepares to field the throw during Monday's game in Madison. Shawe won the contest 8-7 in eight innings.

Nichter struggled with his control in the cold, windy and rainy conditions and a couple of costly Shawe errors in the fourth allowed the Pacers to send eight batters to the plate, score four times and tie the game 5-5.

The game wasn't tied long as Nichter launched a two-out, two-run single to left field in the bottom of the fourth to regain the lead 7-5 for the Hilltoppers.

"I told the guys, it's only tied, they're not winning, so it's just like it's 0-0 again," Pawlak said. "Our guys kept encouraging each other and never put their head down and kept fighting and being great teammates to each other."

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Madison softball beats Salem for 15th win of the season

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison softball scored seven runs in the third inning and pulled away for an 11-6 win over Salem on Wednesday.

The Cubs, who saw a five-game win streak snapped with losses on Monday and Tuesday, found themselves down briefly after giving up an unearned run in the top of the first inning.

But Madison rallied, scored two runs in the bottom of the first and seven in the third to take control of the game. The Cubs led 11-1 before a late rally by Salem resulted in the final margin.

Casey Dyer was 2-for-4 with a triple, three RBIs and a run scored for the Cubs. Kallie Eder was 2-for-4 with a double, an RBI and two runs scored, Molly Armbrecht was 2-for-4 with two RBIs and two runs, Hailey Huffman was 2-for-4 with two RBIs and one run, Ava Armbrecht had two hits, Lexi Sullivan and Andie Royce each had a hit, an RBI and a run scored, Caity Dailey had a hit and an RBI and Cam Mann had a hit and scored a run.

Ava Armbrecht picked up the win in the circle after giving up two earned runs on six hits in five and a third innings with six strikeouts and no walks.

Madison had its five-game win streak snapped 4-2 at Charlestown on Monday.

Bailey Owens hit a home run and drove in two runs for Madison. Dyer was 2-for-4 at the plate, Huffman was 1-for-3 with a run, and Mann, Ava Armbrecht and Dailey each had hits.

Emily Laufer suffered the loss after giving up three earned runs on five hits in three and a third innings with two strikeouts and four walks.

Madison also found itself on the wrong end of an 8-3 loss at home to Columbus East on Tuesday.

Huffman was 2-for-3 with a double, an RBI and a run scored, Dyer was 2-for-4 with a double, Mann was 2-for-4 with a run scored, Dailey had a hit and drove in two runs, and Ava Armbrecht and Xandria Cable each had a hit.

Owens took the loss in the circle after giving up one earned run in four hits in three innings with four strikeouts and no walks.

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Photo / David Campbell

Madison shortstop Kallie Eder ranges far to her right to field a ground ball during the Cubs' win over Salem at home on Wednesday.

Rebels' DeAtley, Welsh no-hit Oldenburg

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Jordan DeAtley and Barron Welsh combined for a no-hitter to pitch Southwestern baseball to a 10-1 win over Oldenburg Academy at home in baseball on Monday.

DeAtley was dominate through the first six innings, striking out 13 batters and walking two before turning the ball over to Welsh. The sophomore struck out two and walked one in one inning of work to finish off the no-hitter.

The Rebel offense was just as impressive, belting two home runs and posting five extra-base hits total. William Stockdale was 3-for-3 with a home run, a double, four RBIs and a run scored, Austin Jenkins was 3-for-4 with a double and two runs, Mason Lichlyter was 2-for-3 with a home run, RBI and two runs, Tanner Jacobs had a double and scored a run, DeAtley had a hit, two RBIs and two runs scored, and Jamison Lewis had a hit and scored a run.

Southwestern was limited to just four hits in a 15-2 loss to Seymour at home on Tuesday.

Stockdale was 2-for-2 with a run scored while Adam Traylor had a hit and an RBI, Jamison Lewis had a hit and scored a run and Lichlyter drove in a run.

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LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

FRIDAY, MAY 5

BASEBALL
- Southwestern at Jac-Cen-Del, 5 p.m.
- Switzerland Co. hosts Rising Sun, 5:30 p.m.
- Trimble Co. hosts Williamstown, 5:30 p.m.
- Carroll Co. at Scott, 6 p.m.
- Madison hosts Lawrenceburg, 6 p.m.

SOFTBALL
- Southwestern at Jac-Cen-Del, 5 p.m.
- Switzerland Co. hosts Rising Sun, 5 p.m.

TENNIS
- Madison hosts Jennings Co., 5 p.m.

VOLLEYBALL
- Madison boys host Scottsburg, 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MAY 6

BASEBALL
- Madison at Corydon, 10 a.m. (DH)
- Shawe hosts Rock Creek, 11 a.m.
- Southwestern at Clarksville, 11 a.m.
- Switzerland Co. hosts North Decatur, 11 a.m.
- Carroll Co. at Pendleton Co., 6 p.m.
- Hanover at Defiance, noon (DH)

GOLF
- Shawe, Hauser Invitational, 9 a.m.
- Madison, Batesville Invitational, 10 a.m.

SUNDAY, MAY 7

BASEBALL
- Hanover hosts Bluffton, 1 p.m. (DH)

MONDAY, MAY 8

BASEBALL
- Southwestern hosts Shawe, 5 p.m.
- Switzerland Co. at Milan, 5 p.m.

GOLF
- Shawe hosts Switzerland Co., Oldenburg, 4:30 p.m.
- Madison hosts Columbus East, 4:45 p.m.
- Switzerland Co. at South Ripley, 5 p.m.

SOFTBALL
- Southwestern hosts Christian Academy of Indiana, 5:30 p.m.
- Switzerland Co. at Milan, 5:30 p.m.
- Carroll Co. at Western Hills, 6 p.m.

TENNIS
- Carroll Co. hosts Henry Co., 4:30 p.m.
- Shawe hosts Milan, 4:30 p.m.
- Trimble Co. at Eminence, 4:30 p.m.
- Southwestern hosts Greensburg, 5 p.m.

TRACK & FIELD
- Trimble Co. at Eminence, 5 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 9

BASEBALL
- Carroll Co. at Western Hills, 6 p.m.
- Madison hosts Silver Creek, 6 p.m.
- Trimble Co. at Frankfort, 6 p.m.

SOFTBALL
- Southwestern hosts Rock Creek, 5:30 p.m.
- Madison hosts Carroll Co., 6 p.m.

TENNIS
- Carroll Co. hosts Gallatin Co., 4:30 p.m.
- Shawe at Scottsburg, 5 p.m.
- Southwestern hosts Henryville, 5 p.m.

TRACK & FIELD
- Shawe, Southwestern, Switzerland Co., ORVC Championships at Switzerland Co., 5 p.m.

Madison beats Scottsburg for 6th win in a row

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison scored seven runs in the bottom the fourth inning to beat Scottsburg 10-6 in baseball on Tuesday at home.

The Cubs collected 11 hits, led by Ben Orrill who had a grand slam and a double while driving in four runs and scoring twice.

Craig Demaree was 2-for-3 with a double and two runs scored, Clint Hearne was 2-for-3 with two RBIs and a run, Colin Yancey and Mitchell Cammack each had a hit, an RBI and a run scored, Drew Forner had a hit and scored a run and Colton O'Neal had a hit.

O'Neal picked up the win in relief after allowing just one hit in three innings with three strikeouts and two walks.

Madison, now 13-5 overall and winners of six straight, hosts Lawrenceburg on Friday and travels to Corydon for two games on Saturday. The Cubs then host Silver Creek on Tuesday.

Raiders hammered by Owen County

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Trimble County suffered a 16-0 loss to home to Owen County in baseball on Tuesday.

The Raiders were limited to just one hit, a Liam Taylor single. Alejandro Maldonado took the loss on the mound after allowing six earned runs on four hits in three and a third innings with a strikeout and three walks.

Trimble, now 3-16 overall and 1-8 in the 31st District, traveled to Henry County on Thursday and hosts Williamstown on Friday. The Raiders travel to Frankfort on Tuesday.

COURIER AREA SPORTS SHORTS

• Southwestern's Jordan DeAtley were named Ohio River Valley Conference baseball player of the week.

DeAtley had nine hits, including two home runs and two doubles, while scoring six runs in two games. He also struck out 14 batters while tossing a two-hitter on the mound.

• Registration is underway for the Molly Dattilo 5K Run/Walk to held Saturday, May 13, beginning and finishing at Bicentennial Park in downtown Madison.

In the 5K run, there will be awards for male and female runners in age categories. The 5K run begins at 8 a.m. with the 5K walk starting at 8:05 a.m. There will also be elementary races — 9:15 a.m. with the half-mile girls run for Kindergarten through third grade, 9:30 a.m. with the half-mile boys run for Kindergarten through third grade, 9:45 a.m. with the one-mile girls run for grades 3-6, and the 10 a.m. one-mile run boys run for grades 3-6.

Entry fee for the 5K Run/Walk is $25 that includes a shirt with that fee increasing to $30 on race day. Entry fee for student races with a T-shirt is $14 and without a shirt is $7.

Entry forms are available at various locations throughout the city including businesses, schools, the library, City Hall and the Madison Visitor Center.

Register online at www.mollydattilorunwalk.weebly.com or mail entry form to Molly Dattilo Run, 1512 East State Road 250, Madison, Indiana, 47250.

Carroll County beats Eminence on walk-off

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Carroll County scored the winning run in the bottom of the seventh to claim a 7-6 walk-off win over Eminence in baseball Tuesday at home.

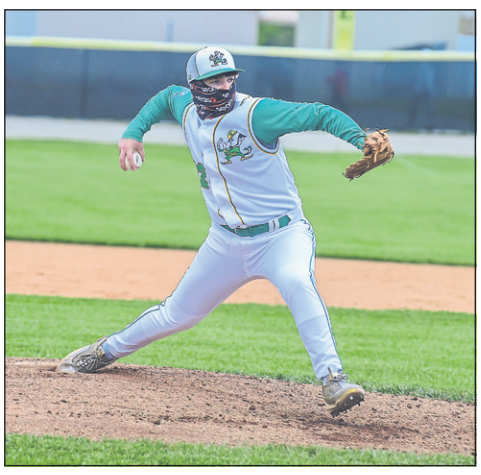
The Panthers had scored two runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to tie the game 6-6 then went right back to work in the seventh to pull out the win. Aden Stephenson led off the inning with a single, went to second on a sacrifice bunt but was still standing there with two outs.

Eminence intentionally walked Coy Willhoite to set up a potential force out but that backfired when Zayne Satchwell's fly ball to center was misplayed for an error allowing Stephenson to score the winning run.

Satchwell was 3-for-4 with an RBI and two runs scored for the Panthers while Landon Isaacs was 2-for-3 with a home run, two RBIs and a run. Willhoite had a double, an RBI and a run, and Colton Dietz had a hit and an RBI.

Braden Stephenson picked up the win on the hill with two-thirds of an inning in scoreless relief. Isaacs started and went the first six and a third innings, allowing four earned runs on six hits with five strikeouts and six walks.

Carroll, now 11-11 overall and 6-3 in the 31st District, hosted Eminence on Thursday and travels to Pendleton County on Saturday. The Panthers head to Western Hills on Tuesday.



A bundled-up Wyatt Nichter throws toward the plate during Monday's game at home against Switzerland County. Nichter pitched all eight innings in the victory.

Photo / David Campbell

HIT

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The Hilltoppers held that lead until the sixth inning when Peelman again stepped up and launched a two-run double to deep center field to tie the game 7-7. After neither team scored in the seventh, the contest headed into extra innings.

Nichter quickly retired the side in order in the eighth to give the Hilltoppers a chance for the win. Eric Liu kicked off the inning with a walk and stole second to set the table for Philip Kahn. The junior launched a 2-0 pitch to deep left field and Liu trotted home with the game winning run to give the Hilltoppers the victory.

Kahn finished the day 5-for-5 at the plate with two RBIs. Pawlak was almost speechless about the effort of his star junior and what he means to the team.

"What more can you say about PK?" Pawlak said. "He's been great all year and he stepped up in such a big way tonight. I couldn't be more proud of him tonight and I'm happy he was able to send us home happy."

Nichter was 3-for-3 at the plate with three RBIs and a run scored, Jacob Hertz was 2-for-4 with two runs, and Tyler Hill had a hit.

Nichter got the win on the mound by pitching all eight innings, allowing seven runs, four earned, while striking out six.

Jackson Sparks and Hite each had a double, an RBI and a run scored for the Pacers while Cooper Todd had a hit, an RBI and scored twice.

Jackson Sparks took the loss on the mound for Switzerland County in relief. He pitched 4.1 innings and allowed three earned runs while striking out three.

On Wednesday, Shawe dropped an 11-6 decision at home to Jac-Cen-Del.

Kahn, Hertz and Nichter each had two hits for the Hilltoppers with Kahn and Nichter each driving in a run and scoring a run. Tyler Hill had a hit, an RBI and a run scored, Casey Hill had a hit and a run, Sam Fewell had a hit and two RBIs and Traevin Liston had a hit and an RBI.

Hertz suffered the loss after allowing three earned runs on five hits in five innings with five strikeouts and two walks.

Elsewhere on Wednesday, Switzerland County suffered a 5-3 loss at home to South Ripley.

Kemper Kitts was 2-for-3 with a double and two RBIs for the Pacers, Kaleb Koons and Kellen Griffin each had a hit and scored a run, Hite had a hit and Peelman drove in a run.

Kitts gave up four earned runs on two hits in six and a third innings with eight strikeouts and five walks and took the loss.

Shawe, now 8-7 overall and 3-6 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, traveled to Trinity Lutheran on Thursday night. The Hilltoppers host Rock Creek on Saturday and head to Southwestern on Monday.

Switzerland County, now 5-6 overall and 4-3 in the ORVC, host Rising Sun on Friday and North Decatur on Saturday and will travel to Milan on Monday.

REBELS

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Traylor started and suffered the loss, allowing nine earned runs on 10 hits in four innings with four strikeouts and two walks.

Jamison Lewis tossed a one-hit gem and provided the winning hit as Southwestern edged Rising Sun 1-0 Wednesday on the road.

Lewis was nearly unhittable, allowing only an Ethan Titkemeyer single in the bottom of the fifth while facing just three hitters over the minimum. He struck out 10 and walked just two while throwing 96 pitches.

As good as Lewis was on the mound, he needed Lewis at the plate to pull out the win. Jenkins began the winning rally in the sixth inning by lacing a two-out single to center. After DeAtley walked, Lewis singled to right to score Jenkins with what proved to the winning run.

Overall, Lewis was 2-for-3 at the plate. Jenkins' single was the only other hit the Rebels had on the day.

Southwestern, now 10-8 overall and 6-1 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, heads to Jac-Cen-Del on Friday. The Rebels travel to Clarksville on Saturday and host Shawe on Monday.

TENNIS ROUNDUP

Southwestern rolls over New Washington

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Southwestern regrouped from just its second loss of the season with a 4-1 win over New Washington at home in girls tennis on Tuesday.

The Rebels picked up wins in all three singles matches and came within a third-set tiebreaker at No. 1 doubles from sweeping the match. Autumn Gross and Natalie LaRue dropped a heart-breaking 6-1, 4-6, 7-6 (7-5) decision.

"They played a very athletic team who have only lost a couple of matches and really got down after the first set. I told them either go forfeit the second set or start playing like you are capable and they played fantastic the rest of the way," Southwestern coach Kenny Garrett said of his No. 1 doubles team. "Even in the loss, I feel they made great progress today."

Southwestern won every other match with Syrenia Hardy winning 6-1, 6-0 at No. 1 singles, Emma Hatton 6-2, 6-0 at No. 2 singles, Ava Barnes 6-3, 6-2 at No. 3 singles and Raygan Crawford and Kaylee Hite winning 6-2, 6-0 at No. 2 doubles.

On Monday, Southwestern suffered just its second loss of the season in a 4-1 setback at Scottsburg.

The Rebels' only win came at No. 2 doubles where Crawford and Hite combined to win 7-6 (7-5), 5-7, 10-5.

"We just did not come ready to play for some reason. It was nasty and windy out but all the girls had to play in that and we just did not show up ready," Garrett said. "I'm really disappointed in the way we lost as I felt like we just did not compete today for the first time this year."

In singles, Hardy lost 6-1, 6-2 at No. 1, Hatton lost 6-2, 6-1 at No. 2 and Barnes lost 6-3, 6-4 at No. 3. Gross and LaRue fell 6-1, 6-1 at No. 1 doubles.

Southwestern, now 12-2 on the season, hosts Greensburg on Monday.

MADISON FALLS TO AUSTIN

Madison girls tennis suffered a 4-1 loss at home to Austin on Tuesday.

The Cubs picked up a win at No. 1 doubles where Michelle Laguna-Rafael and Riley Poling won 7-6, 6-3.

In singles, Erin Burkhardt lost 6-0, 6-0 at No. 1, Claire Slygh lost 4-6, 6-3, 6-3 at No. 2 and Ruby Willoughby lost 6-3, 6-2 at No. 3. Marley Stivers and Maylie Skinner fell 6-4, 7-6 at No. 2 doubles.

Madison traveled to Milan on Thursday. The Cubs' next scheduled match is on May 15 when they host Scottsburg.

CARROLL BEATS TRIMBLE

Carroll County boys and girls tennis defeated Trimble County on Tuesday, both by 2-1 scores.

For the boys, Dylan Brock won at No. 2 singles and Cam Butcher and Connor Mefford won at No. 1 doubles.

For the girls, Addyson Campbell won at No. 2 singles and Brenna Mefford and Kayley Cates won at No. 1 doubles.

Carroll County hosts Henry County on Monday.

Madison center fielder Molly Armbrecht dives to catch a fly ball during the Cubs' win over Salem at home on Wednesday.

Photo / David Campbell

WIN

FROM PAGE B1

Madison is now 15-6 on the season, the most wins the Cubs have posted in a single season since 2003 when they went 17-6. The Cubs hosted Hauser on Thursday and then Carroll County on Tuesday at Cub Field in Madison.

PMG Paxton Media Group

JOB DESCRIPTION

REGIONAL REPORTER

Carrollton News-Democrat
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Owenton News-Herald

The staff writer is responsible for gathering news, taking photographs and covering all assigned beats. Hard news reporting, feature writing, photography and meeting all assigned deadlines are key functions.

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- Write compelling, accurate and timely news, and features for publication in the weekly newspaper.
- Covered assigned beats and produce timely, accurate news articles that meet required deadlines.
- Take and produce digital photos with accurate and informative captions for publication.
- Update news and information in a timely manner for publication on the newspaper's website.
- Provide adequate stories and photographs for each issue and special section
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Packet pick up & sign up will be Friday, May 12 at Ivy Tech 4:30-6:30 Sign up on Race Day begins at 6:30 am

ANNUAL
Molly Dattilo
RUN/WALK
(EST. 1982)
Madison, Indiana
Saturday, May 13, 2023

Age Groups :For Male and Female 5K Runners
<15, 16-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60+

Mail entry form and check payable to:
Molly Dattilo Run / MCHS
1512 E. SR 250 Madison, IN 47250

For Online registration, Go to RaceMenu.com/molly5K
The online cutoff is May 9th at 10 p.m.

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Hanover softball drops 2 to Franklin

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Hanover softball lost a pair of lopsided conference games at home to Franklin on Wednesday in its final games of the regular season.

The Panthers lost the opener 10-0 then fell 11-2 in game two.

Hanover was limited to just five hits — all singles — in the game one loss. Carson Kruse was 2-for-2 while Kensie Bradley, Sydnie Raisor and Lauren Beaman each had hits.

Beaman started in the circle and took the loss after allowing nine earned runs on 12 hits in five and a third innings with no strikeouts and a walk.

Hanover led the second game early but quickly fell behind and suffered the loss. Beaman had two doubles and scored a run, Dani Steward and Alex Miller each had a hit and an RBI and Bradley had a hit and scored a run for the Panthers.

Courtney Chookie suffered the loss after allowing eight earned runs on 10 hits in five innings with three strikeouts and two walks.

Hanover is now 15-23 overall and 7-9 in the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference, and waits to see if it qualifies for the HCAC postseason tournament. The Panthers are currently sitting in the sixth and final spot in the standings. The HCAC Tournament begins on Thursday, May 11.

Trimble County softball scores 65 runs in 4 wins

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Ashley Fulton and Jaelynn Holbrook combined on a three-inning no-hitter. Holbrook had a strikeout and six walks while allowing three runs in one inning. Fulton struck out two and walked one in two scoreless innings of relief and got the win.

Trimble County used a five-run outburst in the fourth inning to pull away for an 11-1 win over Southwestern in softball on Monday in Bedford.

The Raiders led 4-1 going into the frame and took complete control after. They scored two runs in the fifth to end the game on the mercy rule.

Jaelynn Holbrook was 2-for-2 with five RBIs for Trimble. Jocie Stucker was 2-for-2 with two RBI, Emma Ginn had a double and scored three times, Alyssa Ritchie had a double and an RBI, Maddie Nixon had a hit, an RBI and two runs, and Alanna Washington had a hit and a run.

Breona Brewer had a hit and an RBI for Southwestern, Ashley Fulton had a hit and scored a run and Rorie Scroggins and Jenna Owens each had hits.

Ritchie picked up the win, allowing one earned run on four hits in five innings with eight strikeouts. Fulton allowed six earned runs on five hits in three and a third innings and suffered the loss.

Ginn blasted two home runs and Fulton one as Trimble beat Owen County in a, 18-14 shootout at home on Monday.

Ginn was 4-for-4 with five RBIs and three runs scored in the game. She now has 14 home runs and 41 RBIs on the season, both of which ranked her second in the state.

Stucker was 3-for-5 with three doubles, three RBIs and two runs scored, Fulton was 2-for-5 with a home run, an RBI and two runs, Holbrook was 2-for-4 with a double, an RBI and three runs scored, Nixon was 2-for-3 with a double, an RBI and two runs, Ritchie was 2-for-3 with a double, an RBI and a run, and Shelby Wright had a hit, two RBIs and a run scored.

Holbrook picked up the win in the circle after giving up just one hit in an inning and a two-thirds of scoreless relief.

Trimble scored a combined 36 runs and did not allow a hit in a doubleheader sweep of St. Henry on Wednesday, winning 17-1 and 19-3.

Fulton tossed a three-inning no-hitter and Trimble pounded out 12 hits in the game-one win.

Stucker was 3-for-3 with a double and two RBIs, Ginn was 2-for-2 with two doubles, three RBIs and three runs scored, Courtney Douglas was 2-for-3 with a double, two RBIs and a run, Savannah Oldson was 2-for-2 with three RBIs and two runs, Holbrook had a home run, two RBIs and two runs scored, and Wright had a double, an RBI and a run.

Fulton struck out four and walked three while allowing one unearned run.

Ginn had a triple, drove in three runs and scored twice in the game-two win. Stucker had a double, an RBI and a run, Fulton had a hit, an RBI and two runs, Jayleigh Willis had a hit, an RBI and three runs, Holbrook had a hit and scored twice, and Nixon had a hit and an RBI.

Fulton and Holbrook combined on a three-inning no-hitter. Holbrook had a strikeout and six walks while allowing three runs in one inning. Fulton struck out two and walked one in two scoreless innings of relief and got the win.

Southwestern found itself on the wrong end of a 17-1 loss at Rising Sun on Wednesday.

Fulton had three hits for the Rebels while Chloey Leach had a hit and an RBI and Allie Birchfield had a hit and scored a run.

Leach suffered the loss after allowing four earned runs on six hits in two and a third innings with a strikeout and two walks.

Trimble, now 18-9 overall and 6-2 in the 31st District, traveled to Owen County on Thursday. The Raiders travel to Highlands Latin on Monday.

Southwestern, now 9-10 overall and 2-4 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, traveled to Rising Sun on Wednesday and heads to Jac-Cen-Del on Friday.

FRIDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	(5:00) Kentucky Oaks (N)			NBC..	That's My Jam		WAVE Derby Galas 2023				WA..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	BigBa..	Sheldon	S.W.A.T. (N)		Fire (N)		Blue Bloods (N)		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	That's My Jam		Dateline NBC (N)				News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Insid..	ET (N)	Penn & Teller		Whose..	JokeOff	News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	Cincin..	Shark Tank (N)		20/20				News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Insid..	Shark Tank (N)		20/20				News
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Com..	Wash	Derby	Articulate (P)		Articulate (N)	
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopa..	Fri. Night SmackDown (N) (Live)				FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS..	Wheel	Jeopa..	S.W.A.T. (N)		Fire (N)		Blue Bloods (N)		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Penn & Teller		Whose..	JokeOff	BigBa..	Sheldon	black-i..
41 WDRB	8	9	WD..	News	Judge..	Judge..	Fri. Night SmackDown (N) (Live)				WDRB News		WD..
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		First48
AMC	29	26	(4:45) Bad T...		★★★★ Pitch Perfect ('12) Anna Kendrick.				★★★ Pitch Perfect 2 ('15) (P)				
COM	45	59	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	South..
DISC	31	38	Parker's Trail		Parker's Trail		Gold Rush (N)		Gold Rush (N)		(:10) Gold Rush		Gold..
DISN	25	29	Ladyb.. /(:20) NY-Heroez			Secrets	Secrets	Satur..	Satur..	Raven	Raven	Secrets	Satur..
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		NBA		NBA Basketball				NBA Basketball		
FREE	18	40	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	Famil..	700Club
FX	40	28	(5:30) ★★★★ Deadpool 2 ('18)				★★★ Venom ('18) Tom Hardy.				Dear Mama (N)		
HBO	201	17	White		100-Foot Wave		I Now Pronounce You Chuck...				Real Time (N)		Black..
MAX	270	73	(:15) ★★★ Transporter 3 ('08)				★★★ Moonfall ('22) (P)				(:10) ★★★ Kin ('18)		
NEWSNTN	20	20	Elizabeth (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	★★★ The Day After Tomorrow ('04) Dennis Quaid.						Movie
SHOW	221	16	Mona Lisa and the Blood Moon				Coupl..	Coupl..	Everything Everywhere All at Once				
TMC	233	74	(:15) ★★★★ Adrift ('18)				Agent Game ('22)			★★★★ X ('22) Mia Goth.			Movie
TNT	27	43	(5:30) R..	NHLP..	NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA					NHL Hockey			
USA	26	33	9-1-1		9-1-1		9-1-1		9-1-1		9-1-1		9-1-1

SATURDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	(2:30) Ky. Derby (N)			Wrap-..	USFL Memphis Showboats vs. Michigan Panthers						WA..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	Sheldon	Sheldon	NCIS "Evil Eye"		48 Hours		48 Hours		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		(2:30) Ky. Derby (N)			USFL Memphis Showboats vs. Michigan Panthers (N) (Live)							News
8 WISH	12		News	FamFe..	The Rookie		Maste..	Maste..	Weird	Weird	News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	WiseM..	Cash	NBA	NBA Basketball					News
11 WHAS	11	4	World..	News	Ent. Tonight (N)		NBA	NBA Basketball					News
15 WKPC	13		Lawrence Welk		TimFa..	RedG..	Kentuc..	Ky.Af..	★★★★ The Birdcage ('96)				Austin
19 WXIX	10		Engine	Game..	MLB Baseball (N) (Live)						FOX19		Farmer
32 WLKY	5	5	WL..	CBS..	Wheel	Jeopa..	NCIS "Evil Eye"		48 Hours		48 Hours		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Judge..	Judge..	TwoM..	TwoM..	Maste..	Maste..	Weird	Weird	WDRB News		Top 10
41 WDRB	8	9	9-1-1		MLB Baseball (N) (Live)						WDRB News		Farmer
A&E	28	36	The First 48				The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		First48
AMC	29	26	★★★ Beverly Hills Cop II ('87) (P)				★★★ Major League ('89) Tom Berenger.					Caddyshack	
COM	45	59	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	Movie
DISC	31	38	(5:00) Afraid		Afraid		Naked and Afraid "Twinning"				Afraid		Afraid
DISN	25	29	Ladyb..	Amph..	Amph..	Ladyb..	★★★★ Mulan ('98)			Marvel..	Marvel..	Kiff	Ghost
ESPN	32	44	(5:00) Softball		UFC (N) (Live)		UFC 288 - Prelims (N) (Live)				SportCtr (N)		SportC..
FREE	18	40	(5:20) ★★★★ Wonder ('17)				A Small "Pilot/Welcome to Switzerland"					Ford v Fer...	
FX	40	28	(5:30) ★★★ Thor: The Dark World				★★★★ Spider-Man: Homecoming ('17)						Movie
HBO	201	17	(5:35) The Hobbit: The Battle ...				The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the ...						Succes..
MAX	270	73	(:20) ★★ Legion ('10) Paul Bettany.				★★★★ Spotlight ('15)				(:10) Lakeview Terrace		
NEWSNTN	20	20	Blue Bloods		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation		News..
PARMT	35	41	(:55) Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade				★★★★★ Raiders of the Lost Ark ('81)						Movie
SHOW	221	16	Movie	Waco..	(:15) Waco: The		Waco: The		★★★ Shooter ('07)				Movie
TMC	233	74	(5:20) Into th...		(:15) Margaux ('22)				The Retreat ('21)			The Blackc...	
TNT	27	43	(4:30) Ocean...		NHLP..	NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA					NHL Hockey		
USA	26	33	(5:30) ★★★ Jurassic World ('15)				(:25) ★★★★ Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 2 ('17) Chris Pratt.						

SUNDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WA..	NBC..	Dateline NBC (N)				Magnum P.I.		Blacklist (N)		WA..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	60 Minutes (N)		Equalizer (N)		East New (N)		NCIS: LA (N)		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	Dateline NBC (N)				Magnum P.I.		Blacklist (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News	FamFe..	The Rookie		100 Days		Whose..	JokeOff	News	Sports..	News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	Fun Videos (N)		American Idol (N)				Company (SF)		News
11 WHAS	11	4	World..	News	Fun Videos (N)		American Idol (N)				Company (SF)		News
15 WKPC	13		Last/..	KeepUp	Shakespeare		Midwife (SF)		Tom Jones (N)		Marie (N)		Traces
19 WXIX	10		(4:30) MLS Soccer		Next Level Chef		Simpso..	The-N..	Famil..	House	FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	CBS..	WL..	60 Minutes (N)		Equalizer (N)		East New (N)		NCIS: LA (N)		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Sheldon	Sheldon	BigBa..	BigBa..	100 Days		Whose..	JokeOff	Good Dr		black-i..
41 WDRB	8	9	(4:30) MLS Soccer		Next Level Chef		Simpso..	The-N..	Famil..	House	WDRB News		TheW..
A&E	28	36	WWE's Most		WWE's Most		WWE's Most		WWE's Most		Stone Cold (N)		WWE..
AMC	29	26	Movie	(:45) ★★★ Uncle Buck ('89) John Candy.					Lucky Hank (N)				Lucky..
COM	45	59	(5:30) ★★★★ 21 Jump Street ('12)				2023 MTV (N) (Live)				★★★ Ted 2 ('15)		
DISC	31	38	Naked (N)		Naked (N)		Naked and Afraid (N) (P)				(:05) Afraid		Afraid
DISN	25	29	Kiff	(:25) Alvin & the Chi...			Raven	Satur..	Bunk'd	Big City	Big City	Big City	Raven
ESPN	32	44	Countdown (N)		Baseball Los Angeles Dodgers at San Diego Padres						SportCtr (N)		SportC..
FREE	18	40	Movie	(:40) ★★★ Sweet Home Alabama ('02)					(:15) ★★★ The Proposal ('09)				
FX	40	28	(4:30) Captai...		★★★★ The Avengers ('12) Robert Downey Jr..						★★★★ The Avengers		
HBO	201	17	(:05) ★★★ Unbreakable				100-Foot Wave		Succession (N)		Barry	Some..	Last..
MAX	270	73	(:05) ★★★ Run All Night ('15)				★★★ Hackers ('95)			(:45) ★★★ Behind Enemy Lines			
NEWSNTN	20	20	LastM..	LastM..	NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation (N)		NewsNation		News..
PARMT	35	41	(5:30) ★★★★ Top Gun ('86)				2023 MTV Movie & TV (N)				Bar Rescue		BarRe..
SHOW	221	16	Waco: The		Yellowjackets		VICE	VICE	Yellow (N)		Waco: The (N)		Yellow
TMC	233	74	(:15) Dead for a Dollar ('22)				(:05) ★★★ Stillwater ('21) Matt Damon.					13 Minutes	
TNT	27	43	(4:45) Men in...		ShaqLi..	Tip-Off	Basketball Denver Nuggets at Phoenix Suns				In NBA (N)		
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-S..

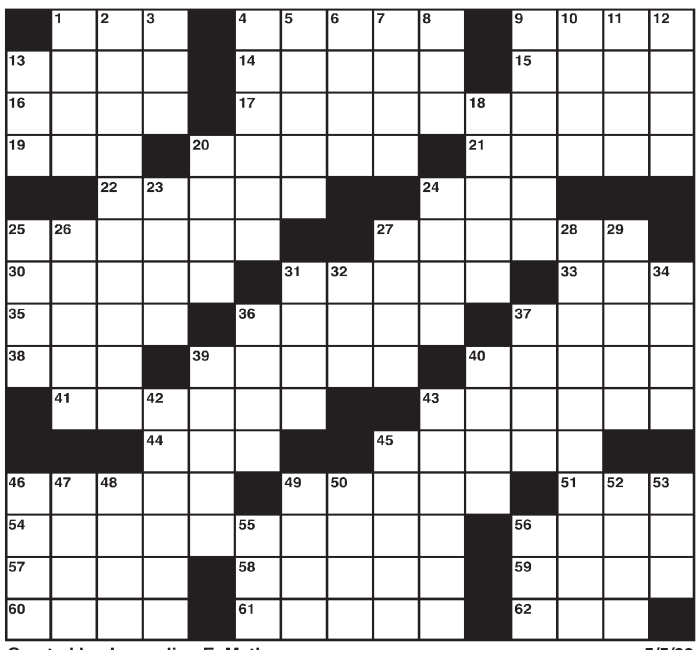
MONDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
3 WAVE	6	2	WA..	NBC..	WA..	News	The Voice (N)				That's-Jam (N)		WA..
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBS..	BigBa..	Sheldon	Neighb..	BobH..	NCIS (N)		NCIS (N)		CBS4..
5 WLWT	2		News	NBC..	WLWT	Holly..	The Voice (N)				That's-Jam (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Insid..	ET (N)	All Amer (N)		The Flash		News (N)		News
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	The List	Jeopardy! (P)		Will Trent (N) (SF)				News
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Insid..	Jeopardy! (P)		Will Trent (N) (SF)				News
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	NewsHour (N)		Kentucky Tonight (N)				Independent Lens (N)		
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopa..	9-1-1 (N)		Fantasy (N) (SF)		FOX19 (N)		FOX19
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS..	Wheel	Jeopa..	Neighb..	BobH..	NCIS (N)		NCIS (N)		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	All Amer (N)		The Flash		BigBa..	Sheldon	black-i..
41 WDRB	8	9	WD..	News	Judge..	Judge..	9-1-1 (N)		Fantasy (N) (SF)		WDRB News		WD..
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		First48
AMC	29	26	(3:30) The Godfather, Part II				★★★★★ The Shawshank Redemption ('94)						Movie
COM	45	59	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	TheOf..	Daily..
DISC	31	38	Street Outlaws		Street (N)		Outlaws: Fast "And the Winner Is ..." (N)						Motor..
DISN	25	29	Kiff	Kiff	Ladyb..	Marvel..	Satur..	The Emperor's New ...			Hams..	Hams..	Marvel..
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		NHL	NHL Hockey Second Round: Teams TBA					NHL Hockey		
FREE	18	40	(5:00) ★★★★ Spider-Man 2 ('04)				★★★ Spider-Man 3 ('07) Tobey Maguire.						700Club
FX	40	28	xXx: Return of Xander Cage				★★★ The A-Team ('10) Liam Neeson.					The A-Team	
HBO	201	17	(5:40) Su..	(:45) ★★★★ Knocked Up ('07) Seth Rogen.					White	(:50) Succession			White
MAX	270	73	(:10) ★★★★ Bandslam ('09)				★★★ Transporter 3 ('08)			(:45) The Transporte...			Movie
NEWSNTN	20	20	Elizabeth (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	★★★★ World War Z ('13) Mireille Enos, Brad Pitt.						Movie
SHOW	221	16	(5:30) ★★★★ Coach Carter (P)				Yellow "Qui"		Waco: The		★★★ Breaking ('22)		
TMC	233	74	Movie	Agent Game ('22)			MVP ('22) Mo McRae.				★★★★ Moonlight ('16)		
TNT	27	43	(5:00) Neigh...		Tip-Off	Basketball New York Knicks at Miami Heat					NBA Basketball		
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		WWE Monday Night RAW (N) (Live)						Alaska

THE Daily Commuter Puzzle by Jacqueline E. Mathews

ACROSS
1 Many miles away
4 Hockey or soccer
9 Speak unclearly
13 Wild feline
14 Mystical glows
15 "It's Impossible" singer Perry
16 Get a glimpse of
17 Rockets
19 Hardwood tree
20 Hopscotch grid "pen"
21 Edgy
22 Nastase's namesakes
24 Drifter
25 Convent clothes
27 Movie theater
30 Mrs. Ralph Kramden
31 Car parker
33 "Station 19" network
35 Breakfast __; kitchen alcove
36 __ bears; Arctic animals
37 June 6, 1944
38 Wildebeest
39 Lingerie fabric, perhaps
40 Orchestra section
41 Run away
43 Instructed
44 "__ scale of one to ten…"
45 Plato's "S"
46 Theft or forgery
49 Unexpected obstacles
51 Tub with seats
54 Nobel Prize category
56 Inverness native
57 To boot
58 Low point
59 __ smoothie; healthy shake
60 Singer & actor Martin
61 Frock
62 Rage

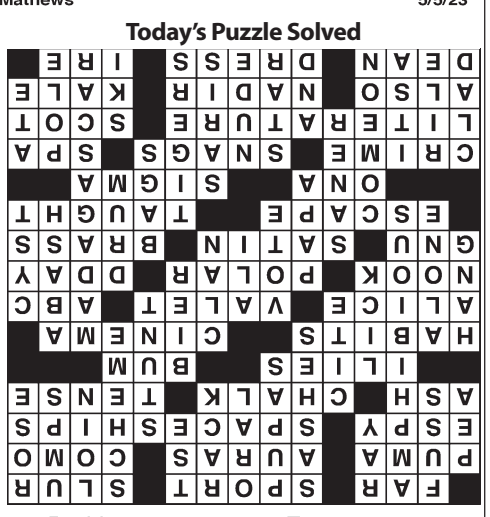
DOWN
1 Complain childishly
2 Able to live on land or in water
3 Sunbeam



Created by Jacqueline E. Mathews 5/5/23

4 Scout uniform accessories
5 Immature insects
6 Spoken
7 Wine bottle holder
8 Poet Eliot's initials
9 Wily plot
10 Cut of pork
11 Diamond officials
12 Stood up
13 Split __ soup
18 Daredevil's feat
20 Use as a reference
23 Keep an ice cream cone from dripping
24 Coffin stand
25 __ up; end a phone call
26 Unescorted
27 Hatfields or McCoys
28 Island near Africa
29 Embarrass
31 Cast a ballot
32 Actress Larter
34 Fluid-filled sac
36 Daddy
37 Percussion instrument
39 Not as crazy
40 Sacks
42 "Hurry up already!"
43 Detroit team
45 Flowing dresses
46 __ in; wearing
47 Exasperate
48 "__ Long Way to Tipperary"
49 Celestial body
50 Bare
52 Flag holder
53 Chowed down
55 Connecting word
56 __ lodge; Aspen retreat

Today's Puzzle Solved



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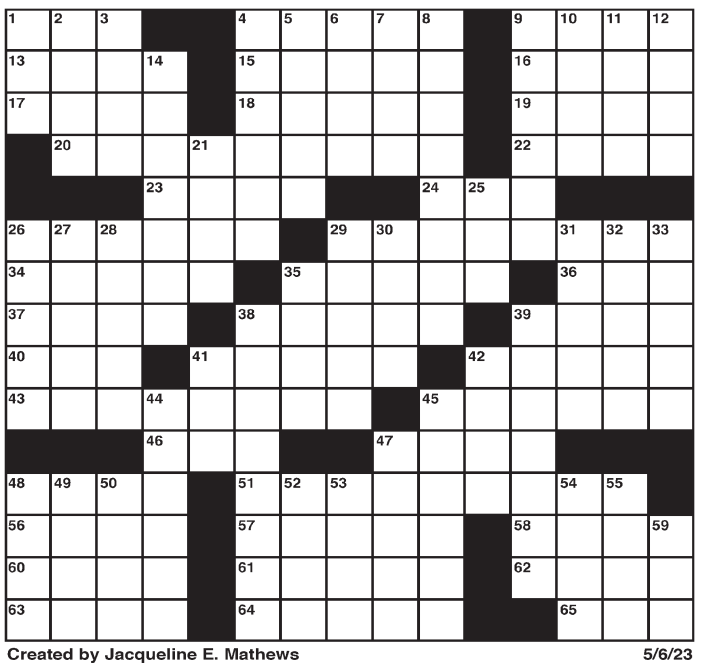
ACROSS
1 Half a couple: abbr.
4 Squirrel snack
9 Cowboy's shoe
13 Dull routines
15 Shakespearean lover
16 Mayberry resident
17 Be abundant
18 1960s dance
19 Inge's "Bus __"
20 Popular pasta
22 Boil or blister
23 Whiskey __; mixed drink
24 Service charge
26 David Muir or Lester Holt
29 Portrait
34 Feeling ho-hum
35 Sulked
36 Malibu or Mustang
37 Floored
38 Submitted a tax return
39 "__ Las Vegas"; Elvis film
40 Spotted
41 Psalm chanters
42 Singer Jackson
43 Frenzied state
45 Word-finding table game
46 Pamplona shout
47 Pinot __; red wine
48 Piece of furniture
51 Row of pillars
56 Feels lousy
57 Go nowhere near
58 Trail mix nuggets
60 __ as a pancake
61 In a __; rather
62 PC repairer
63 Catch sight of
64 Cornered
65 "…Hallowed be __ name…"

DOWN
1 Actor on "The A-Team"
2 Is remorseful about
3 Staircase piece



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Today's Puzzle Solved

A new diagnosis inspires important questions

Dear Amy: I am a 45-year-old woman who was just diagnosed as being on the autism spectrum.

I never suspected I might be autistic until last year, when a friend discovered that she was autistic and sent me some articles about the non-stereotypical ways autism can present itself in women.

After going through the professional evaluation process and learning more about autism, I am almost certain that both my older sister and my 80-year-old mother are on the spectrum, too.

Should I tell them about my diagnosis and suspicions about them? If so, how? We are a family that never discusses emotions or meaningful experiences, but I am in almost daily text-message contact with both of them (about trivial things like cooking or sharing photos of our dogs).

I would be uncomfortable even bringing up my diagnosis because it is virtually taboo to discuss our inner lives within the family.

In my teens and early 20s, my mother bluntly told me she didn't want to discuss the hard parts of my life,

AMY **DICKINSON**
ASK AMY

and that has set the stage ever since.

However, I think that if my family members are on the autism spectrum, the understanding that would come from learning this information could be life-changing for them in important and positive ways.

On the other hand, would it be too upsetting for my aging mother, who despite a lifetime of trauma has always eschewed introspection and therapy, to be confronted with this possibility at her age? Please help! — Nervous & Uncertain

Dear Nervous: Surely this new awareness into the workings of your own brain would bring you insight into the dynamic within your family. It seems to me that if your mother is also on the autism spectrum, this might at least partially explain her discomfort with diving into more emotional matters. Communication is a common challenge for those on the spectrum.

The downside to experiencing an exciting epiphany as an adult is the tendency to press your own experience onto others with an urgent enthusiasm that can actually deter people from following your lead.

Vacation times are affected by interlopers

Dear Amy: Like a lot of people these days, my adult children and many of my friends are spread out all over the country. I try to stay in touch with them by making short trips to visit them.

These trips are usually four or five days (two days of which are travel days) and include the expenses of airfare, accommodations, entertainment, pet sitting, etc.

I have a close friend I have met in various locations for vacations, and the last three times, she has brought a friend or family member along (at her expense) without telling me in advance.

Her one friend was a very high-maintenance stranger (to me) who now shows up on all of my photos from our vacation to Yosemite. Her presence totally affected the dynamic.

Another time, she invited her adult son along, again without telling me.

My kids also do this, inviting other family members or friends over during my visits.

I appreciate the desire to be one big happy group, but I would like to just have some alone time with them. It would be great if they would have enough consideration to at least ask if I would mind.

I would never do such a thing without at least talking to the person first before inviting people over.

Going forward before booking, I am supposed to ask, "Who else is going to be there?" — Crowded Out

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Dear Crowded: You should definitely express your concern to the friend who invites others along on your shared vacations without running her plans past you first. When you've budgeted the time and money for a specific vacation with a specific person, learning after the fact that you will be sharing your time with others is not at all fair to you.

When it comes to your visits with your children, they might believe that you would welcome having mini-reunions with other family members or local friends when you're visiting their homes. This instinct is generous and inclusive.

If you want more alone-time with them and their immediate families during your visits, you should absolutely let them know.

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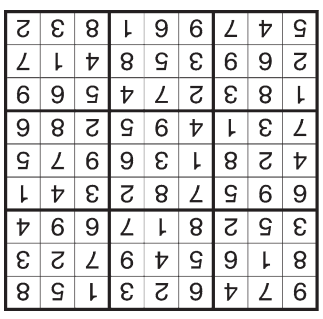

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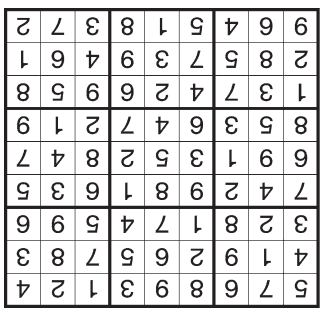

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ARIES (March 21-April 19) — People might find it difficult to resist your charm and upbeat attitude. This could be a suitable time to dive into a new hobby or launch a creative project. You may be ready to change your financial habits or revise the budget.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Enjoy the possibility of being the center of someone's enthusiastic attention. You might be eager to try something new and exciting, but you will be even happier if you have a thoughtful companion by your side to share it with.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Spend time with someone with whom you can share unlimited but realistic daydreams. Revealing your private thoughts and desires can deepen intimacy. The plans you make now can bring you both contentment.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — You could act first and think later. Try not to become obsessed with obtaining a new toy or possession. Focus on long-range plans and remain within a realistic budget. A romantic partner might hold your attention.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Take a desire for efficiency and turn it into effectiveness. You may have thought some things through and feel almost ready for a positive change. Be sure to get some sound advice from trusted friends before you act.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — You and your friends or partner could have a meeting of the minds. A separation by time or distance might not have any meaning where your feelings or affection are concerned, you should be able to pick right up again.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — A close romantic partner or friend may have grand expectations that you feel you need to reach in order to win their heart. It may be your task to take control within the home and function as the support system.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Act on your imaginative ideas and you may win admiration as well as respect or receive tangible validation for a job well done. You could be able to derive lasting benefits from the good will that is likely aimed your way.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — You might be eager to make a key purchase or ardently hope to turn a passing flirtation into a beautiful romance. The extra effort you give to your favorite projects could eventually bring some top-notch results.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — It is always worth your time to aim as high as possible. Although you might often be spurred on by your ambitions, you may realize that having a happy relationship or a comfortable life can be more important.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Ignoring a drain on your resources might not help your bank balance. Use logic as a guide but be sure to picture what you want to achieve, too. Use your imagination to foresee the consequences of your decisions.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Your gentle and sympathetic nature can give you an advantage whenever you must have a heart-to-heart conversation. You can explain the facts in a soothing and comforting way without triggering someone.

ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — You might want to buy something shiny and new that ticks a box on your wish list. This could be a weekend when you might receive an irresistible offer or be introduced to someone who will be impressed by your talents.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Just because you receive a lot of attention does not mean you're the only one worth looking at. A partner could be more affectionate than usual and should receive your undivided loyalty and faithfulness.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — There is plenty of time, so there is no need to rush. You would rather run than walk so you can quickly beat the competition. You might be eager to excel by spinning your imaginative ideas into something marketable.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Your desires may be bigger than the contents of your wallet, so try not to make major purchases. However, a partner or loved one may be happy to buy something that makes you happy. Enjoy it when you're treated like royalty.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Try not to become fixated on instant gratification of your desires. You may be impatient and try to make things happen immediately. Calling or texting someone repeatedly demanding an answer could cause a rift.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — You might want to live life in the fast lane. Learning about new techniques can trigger a desire for changes. Get advice from trustworthy companions before you spend money on something more exciting but untested.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — You have earned the right to relax at home and spend more time with loved ones. A chance to look deep into someone's eyes filled with romance can make your heart glad. Put plans into place that may not depend on someone else.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Embrace changes without losing sight of what is worth holding on to. The more you share with someone, the more you will receive in return. You might be the first one in line because you are faster than anyone else.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — You may be right in your element when you are surrounded by loved ones and family. Concentrate on being an active participant in social activities. Put your spare change to work and make a profit.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Put your business ambitions on the back burner for now so you can grow closer to a romantic partner or a friend. Think creatively to come up with entertainments you can both enjoy and conversations to share.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Good things can come to those who wait. Your financial plans may have run into a temporary snag. Waiting could prove to be highly beneficial because you can develop a lasting plan for long-term security.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Reach out and grab something. Your impulsive purchases might give you more satisfaction than anticipated. There are valuable lessons to be learned even from mistakes, but still don't make one deliberately.

Churchill Downs investigates 4 horse deaths

LOUISVILLE — The death of four horses at Churchill Downs over a span of five days has overshadowed preparations for the Kentucky Derby.

Two horses trained by Saffie Joseph Jr. collapsed on the track and died over the past week. Two other horses also died as either a result of racing or training, including Derby entrant Wild On Ice.

Joseph is set to saddle Lord Miles in the first jewel of the Triple Crown on Saturday. But he has said he's unsure of plans after the two deaths from his barn.

Churchill Downs Racetrack, in a statement Wednesday, expressed concern over the deaths and said officials would press for answers.

"While a series of events like this is highly unusual, it is completely unacceptable," Churchill Downs said. "We take this very seriously and acknowledge that these troubling incidents are alarming and must be addressed. We feel a tremendous responsibility to our fans, the participants in our sport and the entire industry to be a leader in safety and continue to make significant investments to eliminate risk to our athletes."

The deaths happening in different manners points to factors beyond the racing surface.

There was no cause of death immediately available for either of Joseph's horses, 4-year-old Parents Pride, who died after a race Saturday, and 5-year-old Chasing Artie, who died after a race Tuesday.

Wild On Ice and 3-year-old filly Take Charge Briana broke down with musculoskeletal injuries during training or racing and each was transported to Rood & Riddle Equine Hospital for assessment before being euthanized.

Wild On Ice was trained by Joel Marr, and Take Charge Briana by Hall of Famer D. Wayne Lukas.

Joseph told reporters at the track Wednesday that blood work showed nothing out of the ordinary.

"When you don't know something, that's when it worries you the most," Joseph said. "Something is wrong. A lot of thoughts run through your head, but you can drive yourself insane. But I'm very uneasy right now. It's not something I would wish on anybody."

Lisa Lazarus, CEO of the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority, said in a statement sent to The Associated Press that the welfare of horses and riders is paramount.

"When horses die unexpectedly, we all suffer, but we take comfort in the tools and practices we have collectively developed to investigate contributing factors and deploy those learnings to minimize future risk," Lazarus said, adding the organization is in contact with the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission and Churchill Downs. "HISA also intends to conduct its own in-depth analysis of the fatalities and will share those findings once the full investigation is complete."

The deaths brought back unpleasant memories of 2019, when 42 horses died at Santa Anita Park in California before reforms were instituted.

California and New York, which hosts the Belmont Stakes, each have thorough reporting requirements and a database cataloging equine injuries and fatalities, while Kentucky does not.

Colts chart new QB path with 1st-round pick Richardson

BY CHRIS GOFF
ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — The Indianapolis Colts faced a crossroads in their approach to the quarterback position during this year's NFL draft.

The franchise long led by conventional pocket passers, including Hall of Famer Peyton Manning and Andrew Luck, moved in a new direction by selecting Anthony Richardson of Florida with the fourth overall pick.

Richardson represents a very different style of quarterback.

And that, owner Jim Irsay said, is why the Colts were so happy to get him. With stars such as Patrick Mahomes, Josh Allen and Jalen Hurts dominating the NFL, Irsay wanted a dynamic, mobile quarterback.

"This game is going more to the athletic quarterback," Irsay said. "The days of (Tom) Brady and Peyton, I don't know if they're ever going to return.

"Mobility is reasonably essential. I always felt Richardson was going to be the guy we went with, as I learned more and more. He is a superhero. No quarterback has brought those skills in athletic testing."

Though his powerful right arm is electrifying, the 6-foot-4, 244-pound Richardson is also dangerous with his legs. He had five touchdown runs of at least 45 yards at Florida.

"Anthony fit us, what (coach) Shane (Steichen) wants to do on offense, the best," general manager Chris Ballard said.

Ballard focused on other areas of need by choosing Kansas State cornerback Julius Brents in the second round and North Carolina wide receiver Josh Downs in the third.

Irsay knows, however, that the story of the Colts' 2023 draft depends on their new 20-year-old quarterback. Despite the offseason signing of Gardner Minshew, who's made 32 NFL starts, Irsay said it was important for Richardson to see plenty of playing time as a rookie.

"One of the reasons to start him is he gets better by playing," Irsay said. "Fans have to have patience because it's hard being a rookie quarterback. But it's the way to go."

TAKING A SWING

In searching for offensive line help, Ballard appeared to prefer a swing tackle over a player limited to one side. Fourth-round choice Blake Freeland started 41 games at BYU, 26 at left tackle and 15 at right tackle.

"I feel good playing both," said Freeland, a 6-8, 302-pounder who played quarterback in high school before bulking up to play the line.

"Toward the end of high school, it was a lot of 2,000-calorie protein shakes. Always eating. As I got heavier, it was easier to keep weight on."

SPEED ON DEFENSE

Ballard added to his defense Saturday with later-round choices possessing physical traits more commonly found near the top of the draft board.

Fourth-round pick Adetomiwa Adebawore, who had only five sacks for Northwestern in 2022, caught the Colts' attention by running a 4.49-second 40-yard dash as a 6-2, 282-pound lineman.

Fifth-rounder Darius Rush, who moved from wide receiver to cornerback during his second year at South Carolina, showed his speed at the combine with a 40-yard dash time of 4.36 seconds. Like Brents, Rush provides Indy's zone-happy defense with a bigger corner at 6-2, 198 pounds.

FAMILIAR LOCAL NAME

Fifth-round pick Will Mallory, a Miami tight end, is the grandson of the late Indiana coach Bill Mallory, who led the Hoosiers to six bowl games.

QUOTABLE

"I think we take Will Levis," Irsay said when asked what the Colts would have done with the fourth pick if Richardson were not available. Levis, the Kentucky quarterback who fell to the second round, was drafted by division rival Tennessee.

Another AFC South team, Houston, drafted quarterback C.J. Stroud second overall.

"It's kind of cool, isn't it?" Ballard said of the division's run on quarterbacks.

HIGH VOLUME

The Colts made a total of nine picks on the third day. They rounded out their draft class with California safety Daniel Scott and Northwestern running back Evan Hull in the fifth round, Wagner defensive end Titus Leo in the sixth, and Texas A&M cornerback Jaylon Jones and Northern Michigan offensive lineman Jake Witt in the final round.

Switzerland Prom

Switzerland County High School held its senior prom recently with Levi Curlin (left) and Grace White named prom king and queen, respectively.

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STATE OF INDIANA
IN THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT
SS:
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON
CAUSE NO. 39C01-1709-MF-00888
J.P. MORGAN MORTGAGE ACQUISITION CORP.
Plaintiff,
VS.
BRIDGET N. SARGENT
Defendants.
NOTICE OF SUIT SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
TO: Bridget N. Sargent
Plaintiff, by counsel, hereby gives Notice of the Complaint filed in the Jefferson Circuit Court against the above-named Defendant. Plaintiff also filed an Affidavit of a competent person showing that the residence and whereabouts of Defendant, Bridget N. Sargent upon diligent inquiry are unknown. The cause of action is for default on a promissory note and foreclosure upon a mortgage on the following descried real estate:
LEGAL DESCRIPTION
LOTS 51, 52, 53 AND 54, BLOCK "A" IN PINEHURST SUBDIVISION NEAR MADISON, INDIANA, AND NORTH MADISON, INDIANA, SUBJECT TO ALL RESTRICTIONS OF SUBDIVISION.
State Parcel #: 39-08-28-113-004.000-007
Address: 1122 Pinehurst Avenue, Madison, IN 47250
Therefore, said Defendant is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said Complaint and that unless Defendant files an answer within (30) days of the last publication of this notice, default judgment may be entered against said Defendant for the relief sought in the Complaint.
/s/ W. Anderson Woodford
Law Office of Gerald M. Shapiro, LLP
W. Anderson Woodford (31199-22)
4805 Montgomery Road, Suite 320
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Dated
Jefferson Circuit Clerk, Court
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TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
NOTICE
OF SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a certified copy of a decree to me directed from the Clerk of Jefferson Superior Court of Jefferson County, Indiana, in Cause No.: 39C01-1912-MF-01209, wherein Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC., was Plaintiff, and Rebecca G. Richards, was/were Defendant(s), requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Decree with interest and cost, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder, on the 25 day of May, 2023, at the hour of 10:00am or as soon thereafter as is possible, at 317 Walnut St., Madison, IN 47250, the fee simple of the whole body of Real Estate in Jefferson County, Indiana.
Being Lot No. 36 of Ringwald`s Addition in Madison Township, Jefferson County, Indiana, a subdivision of a part of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 14, Township 4 North, Range 10 East, lying East of Federal Highway Number 421, which Ringwald`s Addition is of record on Page 12A of Plat Book No. 1 in the Recorder`s Office of Jefferson County, Indiana.
More Commonly Known As: 2928 Kentucky Avenue, Madison, IN 47250
39-08-14-333-005.000-006
Together with rents, issues, income, and profits thereof, said sale will be made without relief from valuation or appraisement laws.
Jennifer L. Snook
MARINOSCI LAW GROUP, P.C. 455 West Lincolnway, Ste. B, Valparaiso, IN 46385
Telephone: (219) 386-4700
Sheriff of Jefferson County
City of Madison 2928 Kentucky Avenue, Madison, IN 47250 Street Address The Sheriff's Department does not warrant the accuracy of the street address published herein Type of Service: Personal
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Indianapolis, IN 46204
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
MADISON RAILROAD, City of Madison Port Authority, City of Madison, Indiana, a Municipal Corporation of Jefferson County, Indiana is seeking **Sealed BIDS for the construction of "Madison Industrial Lead Track Construction Project, Madison, Madison Township, Jefferson County, Indiana", received by Madison Railroad, City of Madison Port Authority at its office located at 1121 W. JPG Woodfill Road, Building No. 216, Madison, Indiana 47250 until 9:00 a.m. EST, Friday, June 9, 2023**, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud at the Madison Railroad Conference Room at the time and date stated above. Bids received after this time will be returned unopened. Each Bid must be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the title, **"Madison Industrial Lead Track Construction Project, Madison, Madison Township, Jefferson County, Indiana"**, and the name and address of Bidder.
The scope of work consists of the Contractor providing all supervision, labor, equipment, materials (not supplied by Madison Railroad), transportation and other appurtenances and incidentals needed to accomplish the following six items, furnish and install new 115RE turnout, construct new industrial siding track, install 900 crossties, dispose 900 crossties at certified landfill, install ballast, surface track and turnout, and mobilization and demobilization, in Madison, Indiana.
The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, BID, Agreement, GENERAL CONDITIONS, SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS, NOTICE OF AWARD, NOTICE TO PROCEED, CHANGE ORDER, DRAWINGS, SPECIFICATIONS AND ADDENDA, may be examined at the following location: Madison Railroad, City of Madison Port Authority, 1121 West JPG Woodfill Road, Madison, Indiana 47250.
Copies of the Plans and Specifications are available by electronic format and may be obtained for download by contacting the office of Madison Railroad located at 1121 W. JPG Woodfill Road, Madison, Indiana 47250 and are also available for download at www.madisonrailroad.com at no cost to bidder. A paper bound set of Plans and Specifications will be available to bidders at the railroad office at a cost of $500.00 per set, prepaid, and non-refundable.
The OWNER reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any and all bids. Award will be made to the low, responsive, responsible bidder. No proposal may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receipt and opening of bids for a period of at least sixty (60) days.
A conditional or qualified bid will not be accepted.
Each BIDDER must complete and submit with BID Indiana Form 96 inclusive of Non-Collusion Affidavit (furnished by Bidder) Standard Questionnaire and Financial Statement and other required documents as required by Indiana Law.
Contractors and subcontractors are expected to comply and document compliance with the Buy American requirements in accordance with INDOT Section 106.01 (c) Standard Specifications, as defined in IC 5-16-8.
DATED this 25th of April 2023.
MADISON RAILROAD,
CITY OF MADISON PORT AUTHORITY 1121 WEST JPG WOODFILL ROAD
MADISON, INDIANA 47250
TELEPHONE: 812-273-4248
By: ADAM ROBILLARD, General Manager
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Historic District Board of Review Legal Notice
MEETING DATE: May 22, 2023, at 5:30 PM
MEETING PLACE: Madison City Hall, 101 W. Main Street Madison, IN 47250
A. Roll Call
B. Approval of Minutes
C. Review of Applications
• Devin Scudder – C. of A. to replace existing rear door on non-historic addition with a new glass & metal double door.
Location: 835 W. Main St.
Zoned: Specialty District (SD)
• Ken & Linda Pettit – C. of A. to replace existing wood windows with aluminum clad wood windows of same size, shape, & design.
Location: 119 East St.
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• Cheryl Huy–C.of A.to replace front door and deteriorated window frames on the front first floor elevation.
Location: 502 E. Second St.
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• Regina Erlewein – C. of A. to replace old deck with new two-level deck.
Location: 929 W. Second St.
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• Arliss Helton – C. of A. to remodel to modify existing roofline to change to gable roof. Location: 1108 W. Main St.
Zoned: Residential Medium Density (R-8)
• Steve McCue – C. of A. to build new 16'x48' residential structure.
Location: 910 (912+) W. First St.
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• Jack Oliver – C. of A. to build an accessibility ramp on the west side of the home's deck to extend to the south to the road.
Location: 411 E. First St.
Zoned: Central Business District (CBD)
• Dean Miller – C. of A. to install an accessory building.
Location: 721 W. First St.
Zoned: Heavy Manufacturing (M-2)
• Suzanne Hollinger – C. of A. to build a new faux balcony over the front entrance to match existing balconies on north side.
Location: 310 Broadway St.
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
• Robert Helton – C. of A. to install wood steps on rear exterior of building to second floor apartment; install new door between the windows to enter second floor apartment
Location: 713 W. Main St.
Zoned: Specialty District (SD)
D. Old/New Business
• Updated HDBR Review Guide
E. Staff Report
F. Adjournment
G. Next Meeting: Monday, May 22, 2023, at 5:30 PM
For the purpose of hearing those who are for or against said applications, a public hearing will be held on Monday, May 22 at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall, 101 W. Main Street, Madison, IN 47250.
This agenda is in DRAFT FORM. Open Door Law does not prohibit the public agency from changing or adding to its agenda during the meeting.
As per Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for affective communication, should contact the Madison City Plan Commission at 812-265-8324 as soon as possible, but no later than 48 hours before the scheduled meeting.
BY ORDER OF THE HISTORIC DISTRICT BOARD OF REVIEW Brooke Peach, Historic Preservationist
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Cubs' Cox clears 14-10, now 5th-best in the state

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison's Chip Cox continued his ascent on the school's leaderboard in the pole vault and the Cubs won a combined 11 events in a dual track & field meet at home against Jennings County on Tuesday.

Cox, a senior, set a new personal-best in the pole vault with a first place finish of 14 feet, 10 inches. The mark is the third-best in school history and currently the fifth-best this year in the state of Indiana.

The Madison boys, who suffered a 100-31 team loss, had two other wins on the night — Logan Ferris in the 1600-meter run in 4:47.03 and Colton Copeland in the high jump at 5 feet, 8 inches.

Madison's girls won eight events on the night, including all three individual distance events as Cadence Traylor won the 1600 run in 5:43.48 and the 3200 run in 12:03.31, Dellah Gibson won the high jump at 4 feet, 8 inches and the long jump at 15 feet, 4.25 inches, Ava Spencer won the 800 run in 2:37.60, Libby Bronkella won the pole vault at 9-feet even, Hannah Dart won the shot put at 33 feet, 7 inches and Madison's 400 relay team won with a time of 53.77.

Other top finishes for the Madison girls were: Autumn Ross, second, 100 dash, 13.84; Bridget Cline, second, 200 dash, 27.96 and third, high jump, 4-6; Audrey Miller, second, 400 dash, 1:04.85; Eliza Burnett, second, long jump, 14-10.5; Jasmine Mireles, second, discus, 87-10 and second, shot put, 29-9.5; 1600 relay, second, 4:51.92; 3200 relay, 10:54.02; Molly Armbrecht, third, 100 dash, 14.29; Gibson, third, 200 dash, 29.78; Aimee Rijnart, third, 300 hurdles, 55.75; and Dart, third, discus, 87-5.

Other top finishes for the Madison boys were: John Michael Crouch, second, 800 run, 2:10.58; Mason Davis, second, pole vault, 10-0; Bryce Miller, second, discus, 107-09; 400 relay, second, 49.34; 1600 relay, second, 3:48.92; 3200 relay, second, 9:39.92; Eli Dodge, third, 200 dash, 23.75; Travis Hoffman, third, 1600 run, 4:55.50; L.J. Harvey, third, 110 hurdles, 20.91 and third, 300 hurdles, 48.89.

Madison competed in the Big Blue Relays at Jennings County on Thursday. The Cubs' next meet will be the IHSAA Sectional Championships. Madison will host the girls event on Tuesday, May 16 and Jeffersonville will host the boys event on Thursday, May 18.

Madison volleyball beats Columbus East in 3-1 at home

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Madison shrugged off a close third-set loss to beat Columbus East in 3-1 in boys volleyball at home on Tuesday.

The Cubs won the first two sets 25-13 and 25-8 before falling 25-23 in the third set.

Madison bounced back to post a 25-17 win in the fourth set to clinch the match win.

Collin Hite had a big game for the Cubs, going 19-for-21 serving with five aces and adding three kills and 13 digs.

Harrison Hall was 10-for-11 serving with 11 digs and a kill, Sonny Koren was 9-for-10 serving with four aces, four kills, 18 digs and 33 assists, Kyle Roney had three aces, nine kills and 22 digs, Jackson Schwartz had nine kills and six blocks, Ian Eiriksson had eight kills and 10 digs, Liam Roney had seven kills and six digs, and Isaiah Newman had 13 digs.

Madison, now 11-8 on the season, hosts Scottsburg on Friday and wraps up the regular season at home against Columbus North on Wednesday.

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Switzerland rallies to beat Carroll in softball

BY THE COURIER STAFF

Switzerland County scored four runs in the top of the seventh inning to beat Carroll County 10-8 in softball Monday in Carrollton.

Kayla Cutter was 3-for-5 with an RBI and a run scored for the Pacers, Jessica Bruce had a hit, three RBIs and a run, Maddie Levell had a hit, an RBI and scored two runs, Macy Cook had a hit and scored twice, Bri Stow had a hit and a run, and Hayley Adams had a hit.

Brooklyn Rose was 3-for-4 with a home run, double, two RBIs and two runs scored for Carroll. Alyssa Dermon and Adree Dermon each had a double and drove in a run, Taylor Butler had a hit and scored two runs, Madi Groves had a hit and scored two runs, Courtney Strickland had a hit and an RVI, and Mallory Noble had a hit and scored a run.

Emily Oatman pitched all seven innings in the circle to get the win, allowing two earned runs on nine hits with 12 strikeouts and three walks. Rose took the loss after giving up one earned run on three hits in six innings with six strikeouts and two walks.

Switzerland County had little trouble with South Ripley, rolling to an 11-1 win in Vevay.

Pitchers Oatman and Stow combined on a one-hitter for the Pacers. Oatman struck out seven and walked none while tossing four scoreless and hitless innings to get the win. Stow allowed one unearned run on one hit in one inning of relief.

At the plate, Switzerland had only five hits but made the most of each. Cook was 2-for-2 with a double and two runs scored, Levell was 2-for-3 with two runs, Cutter had a double, two RBIs and a run scored, Adams had two RBIs and two runs, and Oatman drove in a run and scored three runs.

Carroll County had no problem with Eminence, scoring four runs in the first inning and rolling to a 12-2 win on Tuesday.

Rose went 3-for-4 with two doubles, an RBI and four runs scored, Butler was 2-for-4 with a double, two RBIs and a two runs, Noble was 2-for-4 with two runs, Groves had a hit, four RBIs and scored twice, and Brinley Couch had a hit, an RBI and two runs scored.

Noble went the distance to get the win, allowing two unearned runs on three hits in six innings with 12 strikeouts and three walks.

On Wednesday, Carroll County suffered a 4-3 loss at Walton-Verona when the Bearcats scored the winning run in the bottom of the seventh inning. Couch was 2-for-3 with a triple, a double and two runs scored, Josie Dale had a double and scored a run, Groves and Alyssa Derman each had a hit and Butler drove in two runs.

Groves allowed three earned runs on eight hits in six innings with five strikeouts with three walks and was tagged with the loss. Switzerland, now 6-7 overall and 3-3 in the Ohio River Valley Conference, on the season, hosts Rising Sun on Friday and travels to Milan on Monday.

Carroll, now 7-11 overall and 4-5 in the 31st District Tournament, hosted Eminence on Thursday. The Panthers then head to Western Hills on Monday.

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Rays' new acquisition Chase Anderson earns 1st MLB save

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — The Tampa Bay Rays acquired right-hander Chase Anderson from the Cincinnati Reds on Wednesday in a minor league deal for cash.

The Rays later selected Anderson's contract to the major league roster. Tampa Bay also placed closer Pete Fairbanks on the 15-day injured list with right forearm inflammation and designated right-hander Zack Burdi for assignment.

Anderson went three scoreless inning in relief of MLB's first six-game winner, Shane McClanahan, to get his first major league save in the Rays' 8-1 win over the Pittsburgh Pirates.

The 35-year-old Anderson went 2-1 with a 4.30 ERA in five starts this season for Triple-A Louisville. He had been scheduled to start Wednesday's game at Omaha.

"It's an 11 a.m. game, so I'm glad I missed it," Anderson said with a smile. "It worked out good."

Fairbanks said the issue with his arm is near the wrist. It's a separate problem from a recurrence of Raynaud's syndrome that forced him out of a game Friday night against the Chicago White Sox with finger numbness.

Raynaud's can affect blood flow to the hand and fingers in cold weather. Fairbanks' medication has been adjusted to address it.

"It's something that's not bouncing back to the extent I expected it to," Fairbanks said of his forearm injury. "Nothing towards the elbow. Not feeling exactly right towards the end of the delivery."

Rays manager Kevin Cash expects Fairbanks to miss only a couple of weeks.

Anderson was informed about the deal late Tuesday and got up around 4:30 a.m. for a flight out of Omaha, with a layover in Atlanta. He arrived at Tropicana at about 2 p.m.

Anderson last pitched in the majors last season, going 2-4 with a 6.38 ERA in nine appearances, including seven starts for the Reds. Over parts of nine big leagues seasons, he is 58-50 and has a 4.25 ERA in 199 appearances.

"A veteran guy that had a pretty busy travel day," Cash said. "He's got a lot of pitches. He'll just cover us in any capacity in the bullpen."

His best season came in 2017 with Milwaukee, posting a 12-4 record.

Anderson spent a month with the Rays' Triple-A Durham club in 2022. He was assigned there on July 26, with nine of 10 outings coming out of the bullpen, including one of his four minor league saves. T

The Reds signed Anderson to a minor league deal last Aug. 27, two days after being released by Durham.

Tampa Bay left-hander Josh Fleming, who left Tuesday's game against Pittsburgh after getting hit on the left foot by Ke'Byran's Hayes hard-hit infield single, had an MRI exam and CT scan on Wednesday, and both were negative. He hopes to play catch on Thursday.

"When I put a lot of pressure on my heel, I feel it more," Fleming said. "It's truly day to day. Hopefully I don't have to miss my next outing. We'll see."

Cash said it will be a couple of days before Fleming's status will be determined.

Rays starter Tyler Glasnow, who hasn't pitched this season because of a left oblique strain, is scheduled to pitch Friday for Durham. He is expected to make several minor league appearances before rejoining the Rays.

Colt Forte 3-1 favorite for Kentucky Derby on Saturday

BY GARY B. GRAVES
ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Todd Pletcher-trained colt Forte and Brad Cox's filly Wet Paint are the morning line favorites respectively for the 149th Kentucky Derby and Kentucky Oaks at Churchill Downs.

Forte, the 2-year-old champion whose 190 points led the Derby qualifying trail, drew the No. 15 post at 3-1 odds on Monday for the $3 million premier race for 3-year-olds. He brings in a five-race winning streak and has won six of seven starts including last month's Florida Derby won by a length over Mage, who will start from the No. 8 post at 15-1 odds.

Stablemate Tapit Trice is the 5-1 second choice after drawing the No. 5 post on Monday, with Cox's Angel of Empire (154 points) the 8-1 third choice after drawing the No. 14 post.

Wet Paint will lead Friday's $1.25 million Oaks from the No. 7 post at 5-2 odds. One of three fillies trained by Louisville-born Cox among 14 entrants for the 1 1/8th mile race, she has won all three starts this year and enters with consecutive Grade 3 stakes wins in the Fantasy and Honeybee respectively at Oaklawn Park.

Stablemate Botanical is the 4-1 second choice from the No. 6 post with trainer Norm Casse's Southlawn the 8-1 third choice from the No. 4 post.

Any suspense over where Forte would start the 1 1/4-mile race was gone quickly when the son of Violence and Queen Caroline by Blame was called out with the first pill drawn. That also relieved Pletcher, a Hall of Famer, of stress after Mo Donegal and Known Agenda started the last two Derbys from the rail. They finished fifth and ninth respectively.

The two-time Derby winner had no complaints either with draws for Tapit Trice and Kingsbarns, a 12-1 choice from the No. 6 post.

Both are 3-0 as 3-year-olds and coming off wins in the Blue Grass (Keeneland) and Louisiana Derby respectively.

"I do think it's different with the one (post) with the new starting gate," Pletcher said. "But still, I felt like it cost us a position or two last year and the year before. So, just happy to get out of there and pretty pleased with all three post positions."

Meanwhile, Cox hopes strength in numbers earns his first outright Derby victory just over 15 months since Mandaloun was elevated to the 2021 win following Medina Spirit's failed postrace drug test.

Angel of Empire certainly has the credentials after his 4¼-length victory in the Grade 1 Arkansas Derby. He has two wins and a second as a 3-year-old and a solid post just two spots right of stablemate Jace's Road (50-1). Those posts might offset Cox's dread after Hit Show (30-1) and Verifying (15-1) drew the Nos. 1 and 2 posts, forcing both to avoid getting bunched against the rail out of the gate.

"Angel of Empire, I think it's a good draw," Cox said. "(Jockey) Flavien (Prat) will be able to break running and get a good spot mid-pack. That's what I'm envisioning. Jace's Road will probably be more forwardly placed as opposed to Angel of Empire. Hopefully he can get himself up into the mix."

Wet Paint and Botanical have decent spots in the Oaks, offering Cox two good chances to win that race for the third time in six years.

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Padres rookie Sullivan hits 1st HR, has 4 RBIs in 7-1 win

SAN DIEGO — Rookie Brett Sullivan hit his first home run and had his first four RBIs, and Juan Soto hit a three-run double to make up for a baserunning blunder that cost Xander Bogaerts a club-record on-base streak as the San Diego Padres beat the Cincinnati Reds 7-1 Wednesday to take two of three.

Seth Lugo (3-2) pitched six strong innings for the Padres, who have won 7 of 10 heading into a home weekend series against the rival Los Angeles Dodgers. It'll be the teams' first meeting since the Padres eliminated the 111-win Dodgers in four games in the NL Division Series to reach their first NL Championship Series in 24 years.

The 29-year-old Sullivan, catching a day game after a night game, hit a two-run double down the right field line with one out in the second and then drove a two-run homer to right with two outs in the fourth.

His double, off Luis Cessa (1-4), snapped the Padres' 0-for-15 skid with runners in scoring position and brought in Jake Cronenworth and Ha-Seong Kim.

Lugo allowed only one run and seven hits in six innings while striking out five. His only big mistake was allowing Spencer Steer's leadoff homer to left in the sixth, his third.

Cessa lasted only 3 1/3 innings, giving up three runs and four hits.

PADRES 6, REDS 3

Fernando Tatis Jr. had three hits, scored once and fired up the crowd in his return to Petco Park, and Ha-Seong Kim hit a tiebreaking three-run homer as the San Diego Padres beat the Cincinnati Reds 8-3 on Monday night for their third straight win.

The crowd was already in a festive mood for Tatis' first home game since Sept. 26, 2021, when Kim sent fans into a frenzy when he homered to left field off Alex Young with two outs in the fifth inning for a 6-3 lead.

After Kim scored, Tatis placed a sombrero on his head, a reprise of the celebrations the Padres started when they hit six home runs in a 16-11 win against San Francisco on Saturday in the thin air of Mexico City.

Tatis bought the sombrero at the team hotel Friday night before the two-game series, which the Padres swept.

Juan Soto and Manny Machado each had a two-run hit and Trent Grisham also had three hits for the Padres. Blake Snell (1-4) pitched around trouble for six innings.

The Reds tied it on Stuart Fairchild's two-run double in the third and went ahead 3-2 on Nick Senzel's homer in the fourth, his third.

Reds starter Luke Weaver (1-1) permitted four runs and nine hits in 4 1/3 innings.

REDS 2, PADRES 1

The Cincinnati Reds had lost their last nine games at Petco Park. Jonathan India and Alexis Díaz made sure the streak didn't reach 10.

India singled in the go-ahead run on Luis Garcia's first pitch of the 10th inning and the Reds beat San Diego 2-1 Tuesday night to snap the Padres' three-game winning streak.

India's single to left off Garcia (1-3) brought in automatic runner Matt Reynolds.

Díaz then impressively shut the door on the Padres.

He walked Trent Grisham opening the bottom of the inning to give the Padres runners on first and second, but then retired superstars Fernando Tatis Jr. on a strikeout, Manny Machado on a fly ball to left and Juan Soto on a called third strike to earn his fifth save.

India said he hasn't been swinging the bat well the last week. "You can't give up. You've got to keep going, you've got to keep fighting. That's what I'm battling right now. Once I find my swing again, it's going to be really hard to get me out.

"I had to come up big for my team in that situation. I stepped up and I did my job."

Cincinnati's Graham Ashcraft allowed one run and six hits in six innings to lower his ERA from 2.10 to 2.00.

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